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CENTRE COUNTY TEACHERS

Now Holding Their 55th Annual Institute.

IN THE COURT HOUSE HERE

Two Hundred and Ninety Teachers Are in Attendance—Interesting Talks by Learned Instructors.

SUPT. GRAMLEY AT THE HELM

The fifty-fifth annual Institute of the teachers of Centre county convened in the Court House Monday afternoon at 1:30 o'clock and will continue its sessions until Friday. The attendance of teachers is quite large only a few absentees being noted out of the two hundred and ninety expected to be here. The interest shown in the proceedings is very encouraging and the prospects for a succeseful week of Institute are very bright.

Supt. Gramley rapped for order and then introduced the well known musical instructor, Prof. Philip H. Meyer, of Boalsburg, who opened the session with a service of song. "All Hail the Power of Jesus Name," "Come Now Almighty King," "The Stars and Stripes" and "Stand Up for Jesus" were the hymns sung.

The devotional exercises were then conducted by Rev. H. C. Holloway D. D., pastor of the Bellefonte Lutheran church. He read the VI chapter of Proverbs and then offered an earnest prayer all joining in conclusion in repeating the Lord's prayer.

Supt. Gramley then made a short opening address welcoming the teachers to Bellefonte, outlining the plans for the weeks work, extending the hope that all would learn something of profit to take home with them and urging them to be regular in their attendance.

Hon. O. T. Corson, of Columbus, Ohio, was then introduced. He is Ex State Commissioner of Education in Ohio and is the editor of the "Ohio Educational Monthly." He had been suffering from a severe nervous attack but in spite of this the man and his address proved highly pleasing to all present and he was heartily applauded at different times. His talk was along the line of what a teacher can get from an institute and he spoke as a teacher to a teacher. He said among other things that people generally get what they are looking for and it is so with the teacher. If you have come to this institute expecting to have a good time and get nothing, you will not be disappointed but on the other hand if you have come to gain valuable knowledge you can certainly do so, if you apply yourself. He believes in teachers asking questions at institutes. It is the proper thing. Teachers should strive to learn so that they can gain better certificates at the next examination. Salaries of teachers are to low but the law of supply and demand regulates this and so if we would lower the standard of teachers examination the supply would be even greater. We get out of life what we give to it. Teachers can help each other at these institutes.

Ten minutes recess followed Dr. Corson's talk after which the roll was called.

On account of the absence of the other instructors Dr. Corson was called upon to fill up the second period of the afternoon. He followed out the same line of thought as in his opening talk which was instructive and interesting.

The committee on elections and also on resolutions was notified to meet immediately after adjournment,

The institute officers are as follows :

President—C. L. Gramley.

Vice President—I. H. Mauser.

Recording Secretary—J. B. Strohm.

Ass't Secretary—Mame Bell.

Enrolling Secretary—T. A. Auman.

Door-Keepers—J. N. Moyer, A. J. Tate.

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The following are the committees :

Elections—W. W. Keller, C. E. Royer, G. C. Stine, Ella Levy, Jennie Morrison.

Resolutions—J. A. Williams, H. E. Bobb, Milford Pletcher, H. I. Stahr, Caroline Hoy.

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The afternoon session was brought to a close by all rising and singing "My Country tis of Thee"

TUESDAY MORNING.

The institute opened with a song service under the direction of Prof. Meyer, Miss Elizabeth Crouch of Philipsburg is the pianist at this session of institute and is performing her duties in a very satisfactory manner. "Guide Me, Oh Thou Great Jehovah," and "The Morning Light is Breaking' were the opening hymns.

The devotional exercises of the morning were conducted by Rev. Wilford P. Shriner D. D., pastor of the Methodist church of Bellefonte. There was responsive reading of the 13th chapter of St, Matthew. Dr. Shriner then made an earnest prayer after which all joined in the Lord's prayer.

The first speaker of the morning was Dr. S. D. Fess, professor in the Ohio State Normal who spoke on "History" and the best method to teach it. He showed the importance of training the memory. History is a memory study. He gave a history of the events which led up to the Hay-Pauncefoote treaty now about to be ratified by the senate for the building of the Nicaraguan canal. He started with the Monroe doctrine and came up to the present time. He paid an eloquent tribute to Alexander Stephens, the great southern statesman. You can take a number of events that have a relation to each other and the one will help you to remember the other. He gave out fifty words that had relation to each other and then got the teachers to repeat them unaided in the order he gave them which they did quite successfully thus illustrating his method of teaching history.

The closing talk of the morning was given by Dr. Corson. His subject was "Adaptability to Teach" Character and scholarship are the two main necessities for a teacher. I have no sympathy with the grumbler and fault finder as I believe the world is growing better every day and the teachers are helping to make it so. Work if it is meritorious will be appreciated.

Tuesday afternoons session of the County Teachers Institute was called to order at 1:30 o'clock by Supt. Gramley. The interest in the proceedings seems to be on the increase and almost every seat in the Court House was taken.

There was the usual inspiring song service in opening in which everyone joined heartily.

The first speaker of the afternoon was Dr. Corson who gave an interesting talk on "The Originality of the Teacher." He said "all true theory and practice must be the product of the teachers own originality. He impressed on his hearers the benefits of originality in teaching. Each man has within himself a continent of undiscovered originality. He hoped that each one of his hearers would have a Columbus to discover this vein within them

Supt, Gramley has suspended the practice of calling the roll placing the teachers on their honor in regard to attending the sessions.

After the recess the vote was taken on the Institute officers for the ensuing year but the result will not be known until later.

Dr. Warren Darst, who is on the Board of Control of "Ohio Teachers Reading Circle" was the next speaker introduced. He talked on "Education." He is a native of the Central part of this state and recalled with pleasure this fact and stated that he was now renewing his allegiance to his old home. He handled the subject of education in an eloquent manner. He is a fluent talker and held the attention of his audience from start to finish. The great benefits of education were ably set forth. Poverty is no bar to education, it is open and free to all. He related incidents of poor boys who attained the highest positions in life setting an example that all can follow.

The institute then arose and sang "The Star Spangled Banner."

Dr. Fess made a short address at the close of Tuesday afternoon's session on "The Personal Side of History." Many anecdotes of Jefferson, Jackson and others were related by the speaker in an interesting manner.

Tuesday evening there was a large attendance at the court house to listen to the lecture by Dr. Warren Darst, of Ada, Ohio. The subject was "I, the Heir of All the Ages." The speaker is an eloquent one and he delivered many profitable thoughts, couched in beautiful language, that could not help but be of advantage to those who heard them.

WEDNESDAY MORNING.

The devotional exercises were conducted by Rev. J. T. Scott, pastor of the Buffalo Run Presbyterian church. There was responsive reading of the 19th Psalm, all joining in repeating the Lord's prayer

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TO AID A SOLDIER.

Senator Penrose Introduces a Bill for $10,000 in the United States Senate.

THE GRANGERS CAPTURE JOHNSTOWN

The Twenty-ninth Annual Convention of the Pennsylvania State Grange now in Session—Master's Address Shows Farmers losing in proportion to Wealth.

2,000 GRANGERS ARE PRESENT

The Johnstown Tribune says :

"In the United States senate Mr. Penrose introduced a bill giving a gratuity of $10 000 to George Rushberger, of Altoona, for his service in making possible the capture of Santa Anna's war chest, containing a large sum of money, during the Mexican war. Mr. Rushberger was formerly a well known character about Johnstown and this bill has been a regular thing in one or both houses of Congress for a number of years. A Washington correspondent tells the following story in connection with the bill :

"Rushberger enlisted in the Mexican war from Pittsburg, and, after the battle of Cerro Gordo, he was given a furlough. Shortly afterward he ran across a Mexican soldier, who was in a pitiable condition for want of food. Rushberger, in order to keep the man from starvation, divided what rations he had with him. This charitable act was not long unrewarded. The Mexican received word that the Santa Anna specie train was to pass near to where a body of American troops were stationed and informed Rushberger of this fact. The latter, in company with one or two companions, attacked the train. Two of the party were killed, but Rushberger managed to drive the specie train into General Scott's headquarters, where nearly $100,000 in gold was taken by the Americans,

[illegible] deed on the part of Rushberger are on file at the war department, the government has never given him any reward for his gallant services. A bill appropriating $10,000 for Rushberger was introduced in the last congress and, although the committee on claims of the senate made a favorable report, reducing the amount to $5,000, no action was taken by congress. Rushberger is one of the few survivors of the Mexican war, is quite old and has only the income of a minor government position in Washington to support him. Every effort will be made to have his claim passed by this congress."

PENNSYLVANIA STATE GRANGE.

JOHNSTOWN, December 11.—Two thousand grangers are in town to attend the twenty-ninth annual session of the Pennsylvania State Grange, the opening session of which was held Tuesday afternoon. After the appointment of committees Master William F. Hill, of Westford, Pa., delivered his annual address in which he referred to the fact that in 1850, there was $8,500,000,000 of wealth in the United States of which the farmers had $5,000,000,000, and that in 1890 the wealth of the country was $64,000,000,000 but the farmers had only $16,000,000 of it, although 70 per cent of the wealth annually produced came from the farmers. Master Hill indorsed the placing of free rural delivery mail service, the provision for postal saving banks, an amendment to the constitution for the election of United States senators by a direct vote of the people, submission to the people of an amendment to the constitution granting to congress the power to regulate and control all corporations and combinations, preventing monopoly from restraining trade, and other vital matters.

Last evening in an open meeting in a crowded opera house Mayor Woodruff tendered the visitors the freedom of the city. Addresses were also made by William T. Creasy, City Solicitor Greer, Thomas Iteil and Joseph J. Thomas. The visitors were taken through the great mills of the Cambria Steel company and were shown every procedure in the production of steel from the ore to the finished state.

—The Clearfield Lumber company is working 24 car loads of lumber, which is to be shipped to the Philippines. It is a government order and is the second one to be filled by this company.

—A bill has been introduced in the United States Senate for a memorial bridge across the Potomac river at Washington at a cost of $5,000,000.

—The date of King Edward's coronation has been fixed for June 26, 1902.

American Deserter Killed.

MANILA, Dec. 9.—Native scouts from Bengabon, province of Nueva Ecija, have killed the American negro, David Fagin, a deserter from the Twenty-fourth (colored) infantry, who for more than two years has been leading Filipinos against the American troops. The native scouts decapitated their prisoner. The man's head, however, was recognized as that of Fagin's. They also secured his commission in the insurgent army.

Fagin had on one of his fingers the class ring of Lieut. Frederick W. Aistetter, who was captured by Filipinos, supposedly under command of Fagin himself, Oct. 28, 1900.

Fagin has been reported killed upon several occasions. The authorities are satisfied that former statements of his death were erroneous and that he has now been killed.

A military commission has sentenced the Filipino General Isidoro Torres to be hanged, after finding him guilty of ordering the assassination of Corporal Nieldner, of the Twelfth infantry, at Malolos, province of Bulaacan, last October. The sentence of the commission has been disapproved by General Chaffee, who finds that the commission had reasonable grounds to doubt whether Gen. Torres personally ordered the assassination of the American soldier. Gen. Chaffee thinks that the high rank held by Torres in the insurgent army would have been sufficient to prevent such unmilitary action on his part.

To Celebrate a Filipino's Birthday

MANILA, December 10.—Superintendent Atkinson, of the public schools of the archipelago, has written a letter to Pedro Paterno, the Filipino politician, saying instructions have been given to every school throughout the islands to celebrate annually the birthday of Jose Rizal, the Filipino patriot who was executed by the Spaniards. The life and history of Rizal will be recited in the schools on this day. Paterno, in a manifesto, has asked for contributions from the scholars, their parents and their teachers, to be devoted to constructing the proposed monument [illegible] his manifesto saying, "If Rizal, the Filipino Washington, were alive, he would help all Filipino children to gain an education."

Henpecked Husband form an Association.

ST. LOUIS, December 9.—The Henpecked Husbands' association has been formed at Ferguson, a St. Louis suburb, and its membership includes some of the best known residents. Meetings are held at the homes of the members and from these meetings the wives are barred. The object is to promote forgetfulness of sorrows. If any member of the society should inadvertantly praise his wife at a meeting he is to be heavily fined or expelled.

Found Dead in a Box Car.

Henry Riley, a woodsman, was found dead in a box car at Medix, near Penfield, Saturday, and foul play is suspected. Funeral Director W. L. Joyce received word from the Clearfield county commissioners to bury the body at the expense of the county.

Riley's daughter, who lives at Williamsport, telegraphed Joyce at Medix to send the body to Bodines, Pa., but the telegram failed to reach Joyce. John Riley, the dead man's son, lives in Pittsburg.

Another Foot Ball Victim.

William O'Gara, of Shamokin, who had his back broken in a foot ball game at that place Saturday, November 30, and who was taken to the State hospital, at Ashland, on Monday afternoon, died at that institution late Thursday evening. His condition was considered hopeless from the time of his admission. Deceased was twenty-one years of age. His body was taken to his home at Shamokin. This makes the tenth fatal foot ball accident of this season.

Accidentally Shot.

Frank Miller, a young man residing west of Mill Hall, started on a hunting trip Monday morning. His dog playfully jumped at him. He struck the gun, the trigger fell, and the contents of the weapon struck Miller in the forehead between the eyes. He was taken to his home where Dr. Painter extracted the shot. The wounded man's face is badly swollen but he can see out of both eyes. Hopes are entertained for his recovery.

—Wednesday evening First Sergeant Howard W. Aikens was elected first lieutenant of Company G, Fifth regiment, National Guard of Pennsylvania, of Lewistown, to fill the vacancy occasioned by the resignation of Lieutenant Owens. The deadlock was broken by Lieutenant Jones withdrawing from the contest, and Aikens was elected without opposition.

FEDERATION OF LABOR.

The Delegates at Scranton Transact Committee Business.

MANY DISPUTES WILL COME UP

Some Knotty Problems Will Be Before the Body for Solution—They Refer to the Federation of Branches of Trades

FIGHT FOR NEXT PLACE OF MEETING

SCRANTON, December 9.—Notwithstanding that Yesterday was Sunday, many of the delegates to the convention of the American Federation of Labor, now in session in this city, did not cease their activity, the day being given up to the transaction of committee business. A majority of the committees met and organized and not a few of them took up questions that will engage the attention of the convention during the present week. The executive council, which is composed of the president, the six vice presidents, the secretary and the treasurer of the federation, went into session early and did not adjourn until long after noon. The session was secret and nothing was given out for publication. After dinner some members of the executive committee and the fraternal delegates from Great Britain and Canada were given a sleigh ride through the mining region by the local entertainment committee.

The American Federation of Labor convention will remain in session for the next six days and will have a very busy week. Two hundred resolutions, touching upon nearly every question in the labor world, have been presented for action. The committees will make reports on them as rapidly as possible, but it is not likely that more than half of these will be reported from the several committees.

What is looked upon by many of the delegates as the most vital question that will come before the convention is that of trade autonomy. The brewery workmen and the Mine Workers' delegates probably will be the storm centre of this question. Both of these unions want industrial autonomy; that is, they advocate that all trades in one industrial establishment should form one organization for the better advancement of the condition of all. They also announce that they will oppose trade autonomy to the bitter end. The miners in their argument say that if a handfull of engineers or firemen employed in a mine should strike it would cause the mine to be closed, and thus throw out of work hundreds of men who have no grievances.

If all trades in the mine were under one head, the mine workers say much friction could be avoided. Those who advocate autonomy claim that it would be fatal for them to enter such a combination and that no good result could come from an amalgamation of that kind. The autonomy question is likely to be introduced by either the firemen or engineers, which organizations are contesting the rights of the brewery workmen and mine workers to force firemen and engineers employed in those places to join the brewers or mine workers union.

The matter of trade jurisdiction is also expected to cause a long discussion, particularly on the part of woodworkers, who make the point that trades such as piano makers are woodworkers and should come into the latter's union instead of having an independent organization. The mosaic and encaustic tile layers have a dispute of the same character as have also a number of other trades, which want kindred trades to join them.

Among the cities that have entered the campaign for the next place of meeting are Atlanta, Ga., ; Buffalo, N. Y.,; Los Angeles, Cal.; Milwaukee, Wis.; New Orleans and San Francisco. Portland, Ore., wants the convention in 1905, the year the exposition is to be held in that city.

—Frank McHale is in a serious condition at Shamokin, the victim of an initiation into a society. A crowd of men assembled in a house Monday night and McHale was told that in order to be admitted he must have the initials of his name burnt on his arm. He remonstrated at first, but later, urged by taunts, bared his arm. A red-hot poker burnt the first initial. McHale said he had enough. The crowd jeered and told him he had no grit. Again he allowed the other initial to be placed on his arm and now the member will have to be amputated.

CHARLIE'S STORY OF THE FAMILY PLEDGE.

The family pledge hung on the wall,
And on it you could see,
The names of mamma, Mary Jane,
And Charlie—that is me.

We didn't dare to ask papa
To write upon it too,
So left a space for him to fill;
'Twas all we dared to do.

He saw the pledge as soon as he
Came in the door that night,
And when we saw him reading it,
It put us in a fright.

He didn't say a word to us
About the pledge at all,
But oft I saw him look at it
While hanging on the wall.

And every night when he came home,
He stopped and read it through;
We all kept still about those words,
Although we knew them true.

Four weeks had passed, and then one night,
When pa came home to tea,
He took the pledge down from its nail,
And then he turned to me :

"Go get the pen and ink, my boy,
And let me fill that space;
It looks so bare," he slowly said,
A queer look on his face.

And then mamma sat down and cried,
(She said it was for joy)
And Mary Jane, she cried some too;
I didn't—I'm a boy.

But papa says he did not drink
Since that first night when we
Had hung that pledge upon the wall
Where he our names could see.

And ever since that space was filled,
Mamma said just tonight."]
Though dark may be our little room,
Our corner now is light.

Drowned in the Susquehanna.

WILLIAMSPORT, December 9.—Charles Seitzer, foreman of the Susquehanna Boom company, at Linden, a village several miles up the river from this city, while returning to Linden early Monday evening across the river on the ice, was drowned. A companion, Mr. Linck, engineer of Bark Bros., of Scranton, who are doing the filling in on the new work of the New York Central railroad at Linden, had a narrow escape. Both men unconsciously stepped into an air hole, but Seitzer's brother and others, who heard the call for help, only succeeded in rescuing Lenck, Foreman Seitzer being past aid. The drowned man was 40 years of age and leaves a wife and son.

John Gilson, aged 16, of South Williamsport. While skating on the river Sunday afternoon near Linden boom, broke through the ice and was rescued with great difficulty by his companions.

A Tombstone as a Golden Wedding Gift.

DANVILLE, Ky., Dec. 9.—Mr. and Mrs. John Williams, both past 70 years of age, celebrated their golden wedding and were the recipients of many presents from their friends.

One of the gifts was from J. E. Wright, a monument and tombstone manufacturer, and is a handsomely designed tombstone with the names of the couple engraved upon it. The cost of the monument was $50, and it will at once be erected upon a lot in Bellevue cemetery, which Mr. and Mrs. Williams have selected as their last resting place. The old couple are delighted with the unique gift.

Clerical Orders for 1902.

The Pennsylvania Railroad company announces that clerical orders will be issued for the year 1902 to ordained clergymen having regular charge of churches located on or near the line of its road. Application blanks may be obtained of ticket agents, and the same should reach the general office by December 21, so that orders may be mailed December 31 to clergymen entitled to receive them. Orders will be issued only on individual application of clergymen when made on blanks furnished by the company and certified to by one of its agents.

—Two sons of Christian Bridge, of Wheatfield township, Perry county, aged about 9 and 11 years, Tuesday of last week pumped water on a quantity of fresh lime in a small barrel. While watching the result of their experiment the superheated lime burst the barrel, blowing it into kindling wood, knocking both boys flat and unconscious for a short time and scattering lime over the entire side of the house and vicinity generally. Both boys were badly cut and bruised about the face, and one of them will probably lose an eye. It is said the explosion caused a report as if a good-sized cannon had been discharged.

—Paul B. Zerbe, of Tyrone, has resigned his position as manager of the shoe department for the G. W. Strong department store at that place to accept a position with the Yeager & Davis Shoe Co. at Philipsburg.

Additional Locals.

—Miss Mary Hamilton is to take Patty Lane's dancing class when the latter gives it up in a few days.

—A large iron mill to be established in DuBois is giving the residents of the town another occasion to rejoice.

—Mayor Giles, of Altoona, on Saturday directed that no license be issued to street candy venders for the holiday season.

—A. W. Reese, of Port Matilda, was appointed mercantile appraiser for the ensuing year by the county commissioners, on Wednesday.

—John VanPelt is ill with typhoid fever at Poughkeepsie, New York, where he is attending school. He formerly attended the Bellefonte Academy.

—The Pennsylvania Railroad Company will order 400 locomotives for delivery next year. Improvements and equipments will cost over $50,000,000

—The convention of the American Federation of Labor, comprising 300 delegates and representing 2,000,000 workingmen met in Scranton, Thursday.

—Six dairymen, against whom suit had been brought for adulterating milk, pleaded guilty in Williamsport Monday and each was sentenced to pay a fine of $50.

—The trustees of the German Baptist Brethren of the Middle District of Pennsylvania have decided to erect a home for aged persons at Martinsburg, to cost $5,000.

—The district attorney of Clearfield county has issued instructions to the constables of that county to report all establishments in which slot gambling machines are located.

—District attorney N. B. Spangler will move his law office from the room furnished for him in the court house to the rooms in Crider's Exchange formerly occupied by W. F. Cohick.

—John B. Hughes, a well known resident of Falls Creek, was struck by a passenger train Monday, the wheels passing over his foot and necessitating its amputation between the ankle and the knee.

—The board of health of Williamsport has decided to cover all dead water ponds in that vicinity with petroleum early in the spring, in order to banish mosquitoes and kill malaria germs next summer.

—Among the marriage licenses granted last week was that of E. I. Gillen, of Clearfield and Miss Ida Homan, DuBois. Mr. Gillen formerly resided in Bellefonte and Miss Homan is from near Hublersburg, and for some time lived here.

—Governor Stone has appointed Judg White, of Indiana county, Bell, of Blair county and Bailey of Huntingdon county, a commission in the contest instituted by Judge Barker, of Cambria county, against F. J. O'Conner, who on the face of the returns was elected judge in that county.

—Monday the post-office department placed on sale the new issue of postal cards known as the McKinley cards. The design includes the year of birth and year of death. The inscription, "United States of America," now appearing on the postal cards is placed at a point lower down.

—Mrs. Armstrong, mother of Abram Armstrong, of Pleasant Gap, was found dead in bed Friday morning at the home of her son-in-law, James Eckenroth, near Zion. She was 78 years of age. The funeral took place Sunday morning at 10 o'clock from the Eckenroth home. Interment at Pleasant Gap.

—We learned from Dr. Fisher, of Zion, the attending physician, that the Packer boy, in Greens valley, beyond Pleasant Gap, who some ten weeks ago was accidently shot through the stomach and bowels, while out hunting, is improving and the Doctor thinks young Packer will recover. The boy, it will be remembered by our readers, walking a mile to his home after the accident happened.

—A burning accident, which might have proved fatal, happened to George Sweitzer, night watchman at the upper axe factory, Tuesday night about 12 o'clock. Several times during the night Mr. Switzer makes tripe through the factory having a torch as a light. It seems that while he was on one of these tripe, his coat caught fire from the torch. Mr. Sweitzer attempted to extinguish the blaze, but not before his arm was badly burned. He continued his work until morning, suffering terrific pain.—Mill Hall corespondent to Lock Haven Express.

The mother who would be horrified at the thought of letting her daughter wander away to a strange country without guide or counsel, yet permits her to enter that unknown land of womanhood without counsel or caution. Then, in utter ignorance, the maiden must meet physical problems whose solution will affect her whole future life. Dr. Pierce's Favorite Prescription has been well named a "Godsend to women." It corrects irregularities and imparts such vigorous vitality to the delicate womanly organs, as fits them for their important functions. Many a nervous, hysterical, peevish girl has been changed to a happy young woman after the use of "Favorite Prescription" has established the sound health of the organs peculiarly feminine.

Every woman should own a copy of the People's Common Sense Medical Adviser, sent free on receipt of 21 one-cent stamps pay expense of mailing only. The same book of 1008 pages in substantial cloth for 31 stamps. Address Dr. R. V Pierce, Buffalo, N. Y.

Why Deer are Plenty.

Old, experienced hunters tell us that deer are now more plentiful than they have been in twenty years and yet not half so many are killed as then. The reason is obvious. Twenty years ago a good deal of the virgin forest still existed. The tall trees spread a shade which smothered the small brush. Then standing shots with old smoothbores were a common occurance, and the amount of venison thus taken was surprising considering the primitive guns in use. But things are different now. After the lumbermen removed the tall and stately monarchs of the forest their habitation was supplanted by a growth of red brush, which sprang up as thick as clover in a field. At first it afforded little shelter, but the animals found plenty of feed on the tender buds, and though quite scarce at one time, those that survived soon found a partial shelter for their progeny, and to-day they have, as they never had before, a shelter that brooks defiance and the result is plenty of big game.

People not acquainted with the typograph of our mountain country can little conceive what these red bush thickets mean. The burr-oak shoots vary in height from four to fifteen feet. Their foliage does not seem to be affected by the frost and the leaves hang on till the buds in the spring push them off. To enter one of these thickets means the loss of more skin on the exposed part of your body than you can grow in a month. Like eagle claws they come at you, hooking, and scraping, tearing garment and and flesh alike, until the average hunter feels like surrendering and turning back. And yet this is the paradise for deer. The animal is gifted with ears that never err and a scent that never fails. They depend little on their sight. That would place them on an equality with their enemy, man. Dogs used to be the deer's most deadly enemy, but since their use has been practically abandoned, it is left for man to do the "driving" and a sorry time he has of it. The animals, knowing their advantage, keep circling in these reds, or burr-oak thickets, and many a hunter has followed the deer by tracking a whole day on a space not larger than an ordinary farm, and when routed only the yearlings and inexperienced take advantage or disadvantage of the old time runaways, while the knowing old fellows sneak away with the velvet step of a panther and are seen only by accident.

The younger members of the hunting profession (for it has become a profession) have many years of promising sport before them. For fifty years these thickets will afford shelter to the deer—and then, perhaps, when the 'survival of the fittest' tress will again "rejoice in o'ertopping their brothers of earth," the woodman will sweep the territory with his relentless axe, and bring back the time inaugurated some twenty years ago.

Saved his life.

"I wish to say that I feel I owe my life to Kodol Dyspepsia Cure," writes H. C. Chrestenson, of Hayfield, Minn, "For three years I was troubled with dyspepsia so that I could hold nothing on my stomach. Many times I would be unable to retain a morsel of food. Finally I was confined to my bed. Doctors said I could not live. I read one of your advertisements on Kodol Dyspepsia Cure and thought it fit my case and commenced its use. I began to improve from the first bottle, Now I am cured and recommend it to all," Digests your food. Cures all stomach troubles. C. M. Parrish.

Dr. Hayes to Build a Hospital.

Tired of waiting for the erection of a general public hospital in this place, Dr. R. G. H. Hayes has awarded the contract for one of his own and just as soon as contractor Henry Lowry can complete the work Bellefonte will have the advantage of a splendidly equipped institution of that sort.

It is to be erected immediately at the rear of Dr. Hayes' office on Spring street and the location will be most admirable. While it is strictly his own work he means that it shall be for the public good and generously announces that any physician having a case for hospital treatment may take it there and enjoy all the advantages of the institution, as much as if it were a general public hospital.

It is to be a brick structure of ten rooms and erected so as to meet every requirement of a well regulated, modern hospital.—Watchman.

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Bears the Signature of Chas. H. Fletcher. The Kind You Have Always Bought

Married at Pine Grove Mills.

Mr. Levi Segnor and Miss Ida E. Williams, both of Boalsburg, were united in marriage in the parlors of the Lutheran parsonage at Pine Grove Mills, Thursday evening at six o'clock, by Rev. Mr. Aikens. After the ceremony the happy couple returned to Boalsburg where a sumptuous wedding feast was awaiting them. Mr. and Mrs. Segnor are well known and popular natives of Boalsburg and their wedding unites two of the oldest and most respected families in the county. The bride is a daughter of the late George Williams of Boalsburg and the groom the oldest son of Michael Segnor of that place.

—Senator Lodge, of Massachusetts, has introduced a bill in the Senate providing for the erection of a new home for the President of the United States to cost $1,000,000. It is intimated that the measure has the approval of President Roosevelt.

Catarrh

Is a constitutional disease.

It originates in a scrofulous condition of the blood and depends on that condition.

It often causes headache and dizziness, impairs the taste, smell and hearing, affects the vocal organs and disturbs the stomach.

It is always radically and permanently cured by the blood-purifying, alterative and tonic action of

Hood's Sarsaparilla

This great medicine has wrought the most wonderful cures of all diseases depending on scrofula or the scrofulous habit.

HOOD'S PILLS are the best cathartic.

Catholics be on Your Guard.

A smooth swindler, and a dangerous one from the fact that the majority of his victims are people who can ill afford to lose the money he steals from them, has been working throughout Western Pennsylvania and the community is warned to aid in his capture by notifying the nearest officer when he puts in an appearance. He pretends to be a Catholic student for priesthood and also calls himself Brother John.

His devices for swindling extend from soliciting subscriptions for charities to the sale of periodicals, rosaries and other articles used in worship. His favorite game is to state that he is the accepted agent for prayer books and other periodicals and to secure an advance payment of from $2 to $4, and promise that the nearest priest will deliver the same.

He cleared up more than $150 in Titusville during the time the missionaries were at work there and later has robbed the people of Mageetown, Petroleum Centre and Spartonsburg. Nearly every Catholic family in Salina, Cranberry township, Venango county, fell a victim to his plausible lies. His last operations were in Rouseville on Friday.

His description is as follows: Raw boned and spare built and about five feet eleven inches tall. Complexion very dark and smooth shaved. His beard is heavy, coarse and black and must be shaved every day or it shows very plainly. A striking peculiarity is the extreme length of his neck, much more than that of the average man and accentuated by the fact that he wears a turn-down collar. His clothing is black.

Dr. Agnew's Catarrhal Powder

Has proved a blessing to many a "man before the public" in cases of hoarseness, bad throat, tonsilitis and catarrh. Some of the most recent evidence of its efficacy comes from a well known actor, whose home is in New York City. He says: "I have never found anything to equal this remedy for quick relief." 50 cents. —69

Sold by F. Potts Green.

A Miraculous Escape.

The entire family of James Role, consisting of Mr. and Mrs. Role and five or six children, made a miraculous escape from a horrible death at a grade crossing on the East Broad Top railroad near Shirleysburg, Huntingdon county, between 3 and 4 o'clock Thursday afternoon. The family were driving from their old home below Shade Gap to their new home in Mount Union, and were seated in a vehicle drawn by two horses belonging to Liveryman E. M. Beers, of Mount Union. Just as the team emerged from a covered bridge and was about to cross the railroad it was struck by an extra freight train, the approach of which the driver failed to observe, and as a result both horses were instantly killed, the vehicle was hurled from the track and demolished and the occupants were violently thrown in various directions. The only person injured to any extent was Miss Role, who sustained a fracture to her collar bone. The others, while badly bruised and shocked, were fortunate in escaping more serious injuries.

CASTORIA.
Bears the Signature of Chas. H. Fletcher. The Kind You Have Always Bought

Twelve Years in a Chair.

Edward Lerch, once a prosperous merchant, died at the Williamsport almshouse Wednesday, aged 65 years. He had been an inmate of the institution for twelve years, during which time he never moved out of his chair, his limbs being paralyzed. Lerch was at one time an influential merchant of Yonkers, N. Y. After removing to Williamsport he met with business reverses and finally, becoming penniless, was sent to the almshouse.

The Proper Thing to Do.

A good and timely suggestion has been made that the School Board order a thorough and effective fumigation of the public school buildings to be made during the holiday vacation. The prevalence of scarlet fever and diphtheria in our town calls for the exercise of every precautionary means to check the progress of these dread diseases and the disinfection of the school buildings would be a move in the right and proper direction.

Says He Was Tortured.

"I suffered such pain from corns I could hardly walk," writes H. Robinson, Hillsborough, Ills, "but Bucklen's Arnica Salve completely cured them." Acts like magic on sprains, bruises, cuts, sores, scalds, burns, boils, ulcers. Perfect healer of skin diseases and piles. Cures guaranteed by F. Potts Green, druggist. 25c.

ISOLATION OF ACTORS.

Conditions Which Make the Profession a World by Itself.

This condition, which from some important points of view is fortunate, from others unfortunate and from nearly all inevitable, is unique indeed. Here we have the only large class of workers which keeps the world at arm's length. Clergymen, physicians, lawyers, architects, merchants, tradesmen and laborers of all sorts, by the very terms of their toil are brought into constant personal contact with parishioners, patients, clients or customers. Even painters and sculptors must needs be in touch with their patrons.

But that thin, impassable row of blazing lamps which rims the front of the stage accomplishes what the great wall of China was built to accomplish. Behind them is the sole "profession," in front of them the barbarous laity. If the player desired to break down the partition, he would scarcely be able to do so.

From the more important social gatherings which take place in the evening both actress and actor are necessarily absent. The actor may vote if he can acquire a residence and contrive to be in his own city on election day, but it is impossible that he should take any active part in politics or participate in preliminary meetings, caucuses and rallies which are held at night, and as to attendance at church, the player encounters, in the first place, the difficulty, inseparable from his wandering life, of making a connection with a parish and, besides, in recent years, is almost constantly required to travel on Sunday, passing from a Saturday evening's performance in one town to a Monday morning's rehearsal in another.—Atlantic Monthly.

BEAVER TAIL SOUP.

A Michigan Lumber Camp Delicacy That Amazed a Marylander.

"Although I am a Marylander and an Eastern Shore one at that," said an epicure from that state, "and consequently know what good things to eat are, I want to tell you that I'll have to take off my hat to the lumber camp cook of the upper Michigan peninsula as the discoverer, fabricator and dispenser of a dish that knocks the Eastern Shore cuisine silly. And that rare lumber camp dish is beaver tail soup.

"I was with Colonel Park of Columbus, O., deer hunting in the Rainy lake region of Michigan one fall. We lived at a lumber camp boarding shanty.

"There were signs of beaver at the upper end of the lake, and a trapper succeeded in trapping one of the wily dam builders.

"When the beaver was brought into camp, the camp cook went nearly wild, and so did the lumbermen when they heard the news, all because they had been trying to trap a beaver for weeks. [illegible] they were pining, they said, for beaver tail soup.

"The cook took that broad appendage of the beaver, mailed like an armadillo, took from it the underlying bone and meat, and from it made such a soup as never came from any other stock at the beck of the most expert and scientific chef that ever put a kettle on.

"We could do the same thing and perhaps better on the Eastern Shore, but we lack one thing. We haven't got the beavers to yield us their tails."—New York Sun.

Providing For a Wayward Son.

Lord Chesterfield gave advice to his son in sundry letters, which might or might not be followed, but in his will he took good care that "my godson, Philip Stanhope," should have strong inducement to follow his advice on at least one point. All the bequests are subject to the condition that if Philip should keep race horses or hounds or stay one night at Newmarket, "that infamous seminary of iniquity and ill manners," during the course of the races there, or should lose on any one day by betting or gaming as much as £500, then in such case he shall forfeit £5,000 to the dean and chapter of Westminster for every such offense.—All the Year Round.

Know Your Own Capacity.

If the people about you are carrying on their business or their benevolence at a pace which draws the life out of you, resolutely take a slower pace; be called a laggard, make less money, accomplish less work than they, but be what you are meant to be and can be. You have your natural limit of power as much as an engine—ten horsepower or twenty or a hundred. You are fit to do certain kinds of work, and you need a certain kind and amount of fuel and a certain kind of handling.—George S. Merriam.

Cleaning Jewels.

With the exception of pearls jewels may be washed with warm water and pure soap. They should then be put in boxwood sawdust to dry. If this is done, polishing will be unnecessary. As boxwood sawdust is very fine, it will not scratch, and as it absorbs moisture rapidly it helps to give jewels a high polish. It can be procured from any dealer in jeweler's supplies or ordered through a jeweler.

Those Foolish Questions!

Benevolent Old Lady—How old are you, sir?

The Youngster—Thirty-five.

Benevolent Old Lady—Bachelor?

The Youngster—Alas, yes.

Benevolent Old Lady—Ah, too bad. How long?—New York Times.

—The United Brethren, it is said, will build a new $4,000 church in East Clearfield, where they have a small place of worship. Work on the new Methodist church in the same place is progressing.

TAKING CHANCES.

People Who Will Learn Only by a Perilous Personal Experience.

As a rule experience is profitable only to the individual who obtains it. When the aged man tries to save youth from mistakes such as he made, the youth smiles to himself: "The idea of that old fossil thinking that an up-to-date young man is going to make mistakes." It is a peculiar trait of human nature that each man thinks he is a little smarter than the others, and that he will succeed where others failed. "Oh, yes," says Smith, "I know that poor Jones got capsized in the rapids, but Jones never was a good hand at the paddle. It's a pity people like Jones will take such chances." And he smilingly launches his canoe to follow Jones alike in his feat and in his failure.

THE EXTREME OF FOLLY.

The most foolhardy man who ever risked his life, or the most infatuated gambler who ever risked his fortune, is a sage compared with the man who attempts to get the best of Nature. The foolhardy man may succeed. The gambler may win. But the man who takes chances with Nature is bound to lose. If the obituaries of tens of thousands who are cut down annually in life's prime were truly written death would not be attributed to this or that form of disease, but to an attempt to evade the necessary laws of health.

The weak spot in the modern man is his stomach. It is in disease of the stomach that many of the maladies begin which carry off the busy men of the day. The seed of disease once planted in the stomach grows and spreads like some climbing parasite about a tree. It throws out a tendril about the heart and presently another which grips the lungs, and others again which take hold of kidneys and liver. Then suddenly the man is smitten by heart disease or lung disease; or succumbs to some malady of kidneys or liver. The real seat of disease is the stomach. And one of the reasons why the diseases of the other organs often fall of a cure is that the treatment ignores the stomach, and attempts to treat directly the other organs, whose diseases are only symptoms of disease of the stomach and other organs of digestion and nutrition.

THERE'S PLENTY OF PROOF

of the soundness of the proposition that diseases of other organs remote from the stomach which are caused by disease of the stomach must be cured through the stomach, and, in fact, cannot be cured in any other way. The best proof in the world is that Doctor Pierce's Golden Medical Discovery, a stomach and blood medicine, cures diseases of heart, lungs, liver, kidneys, etc., by curing diseases of the stomach and digestive and nutritive systems.

"For six long years I suffered with my liver, kidneys, and indigestion, which baffled the best doctors in our country," writes Mr. E. L. Ransell, of Woolsey, Prince William Co., Va. "I suffered with my stomach and back for a long time and after taking a quantity of medicines from three doctors, I grew so bad I could hardly do a day's work. Would have death-like pains in the side, and blind spells, and thought life was hardly worth living. I decided to consult Dr. R. V. Pierce and his staff of physicians. They said my case was curable and I was greatly encouraged. I began taking Dr. Pierce's Golden Medical Discovery and 'Pleasant Pellets,' as advised. Before I had taken half of the second bottle I began to feel relieved. I got six more bottles and used them, and am happy to say I owe my life to Dr. Pierce and his medicines. These words are truths, as I live, so if this testimonial can be used in any way to be of benefit you need not hesitate to use it. I shall stand for the Invalids' Hotel and Surgical Institute as long as life lasts."

DON'T DELAY.

Disease never leaps on a man like a lion from ambush and strikes him down at a blow. However suddenly a man may be stricken and however deadly the disease, the time was when it was a little thing, easy of control. If you are suffering from indigestion, dyspepsia, or any form of stomach "trouble," don't put off the proper treatment. "Golden Medical Discovery" will cure diseases of the stomach and organs of digestion and nutrition at any stage, but the cure will be quicker the earlier it is begun.

"For twelve long months I suffered untold misery," writes Mrs. Mollie Colgate, of Randolph, Charlotte Co., Va. "No tongue could express the pain that I endured before I commenced taking Dr. Pierce's medicine. I was not able to do anything at all. Could not eat anything except bread and tea—or if I did the top of my head hurt so it seemed it would kill me; with all that I could do it would burn like fire, but now since taking 'Golden Medical Discovery' I can eat a little of almost anything I want and can do a good day's work as well as anybody can. Am better than I have been for years. I think your medicine is the best that ever was made, for it is the only thing that ever did me any good. I tried many other kinds, but none did me any good but your 'Golden Medical Discovery' and 'Favorite Prescription.' I can never praise them too highly to any one who suffers as I did."

Sick people are invited to consult Dr. Pierce by letter, *free*. All correspondence held as strictly private and sacredly confidential. Write therefore without fear as without fee to Dr. R. V. Pierce, Buffalo, N. Y.

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MASONIC GRAND LODGE.

Edgar A. Tennis Elected Grand Master of Pennsylvania Jurisdiction.

In the Masonic Temple at Philadelphia the annual meeting and annual election of the Grand Lodge of Free and Accepted Masons in the Temple Wednesday was one of the largest ever held. Over one thousand members were present and 7544 individual and representative votes were cast.

The retiring R. W. Grand Master, Geo. E. Wagner, presided, and the following were elected:

R. W. Grand Master, Edgar A. Tennis; Deputy R. W. Grand Master, James W. Brown, of Pittsburg; Senior Grand Warden, George W. Kendrick, Jr. The new Junior Grand Warden is Judge George B. Orlady, of the Superior Court. He had 1000 majority on the first ballot over his opponent, George Moore, of Williamsport. Thomas R. Patton was elected Grand Treasurer and William Sinn, Grand Secretary.

In the evening reports of the various committees were received. The most important report was that of the Temple committee, of which Past Grand Master William J. Kelley is chairman. It recommended the appropriation of $200,000 for alterations and improvements to the Temple during the coming year. The report was unanimously adopted.

It is the intention to redecorate and alter the several rooms, so as to give more room. The principal alterations will be in the corridors; and in the Gothic, Corinthian, Grand Chapter, and Secretary and Treasurer's rooms. Plans and designs for the alterations will be prepared shortly, and work will begin as soon as they are adopted.

The Grand Chapter met Thursday afternoon and re-elected the following officers: High Priest, Edward B. Spencer; Grand King, Oscar Kline; Grand Scribe, Henry W. Williams; Grand Secretary, William A. Sinn, and Grand Treasurer, Thomas R. Patton.

A Woman's Awful Peril.

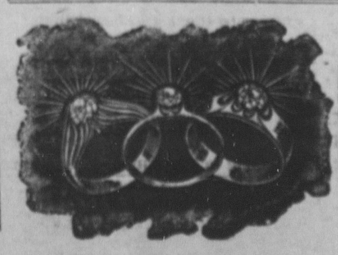
"There is only one chance to save your life and that is through an operation," were the startling words heard by Mrs. I. B. Hunt, of Lime Ridge, Wis., from her doctor after he had vainly tried to cure her of a frightful case of stomach trouble and yellow jaundice. Gall stones had formed and she constantly grew worse. Then she began to use Electric Bitters which wholly cured her. Its a wonderful stomach, liver and kidney remedy. Cures dyspepsia, loss of appetite. Try it. Only 50c. Guaranteed. For sale by F. Potts Green, druggist.

—Miss Eva Kelley, a former Lock Haven girl, is now a popular actress in London, says the Gazette and Bulletin, and is now playing the role of "Sadie Polson" in "Kittie Grey," at present running in the Appollo theatre.

Doctored Nine Years for Tetter.

Mr. James Gruton, merchant, of Wilkesbarre, Pa., writes: "For nine years I have been disfigured with Tetter on my hands and face. At last I have a cure in Dr. Agnew's Ointment. It helped me from the first application, and now I am permanently cured." 68

Sold by F. P. Green.



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BUSINESS OUTLOOK

Traffic Congestion Grows Worse and Labor Troubles Add.

FANCY GOODS FOR THE HOLIDAYS

If Consignments Thereof Are Delayed Much Longer There Will Be Serious Loss—Iron and Steel Continue Firm.

CORN AND WHEAT STILL ADVANCE

NEW YORK, December 7.—R. G. Dun & Co.'s Weekly Review of Trade says:

Current trade is of ample dimensions, but traffic congestion grows worse and labor controversies add to the embarrassment of shippers. If consignments of fancy goods for the holiday trade are delayed much longer there will be serious loss. Prices of commodities tend upward.

Although nominal quotations of iron and steel are unchanged, figures refer only to future deliveries and in most cases prices for current shipment command a considerable premium. Since this margin is influenced by local conditions at the various mills and furnaces, besides being further implicated by scarcity of freight cars and strikes, it is almost impossible to arrive at a fairly representative price level. In general, however, the tone is distinctly firmer, with especial scarcity of billets, and further importations. Steel rail mills are still accepting orders with their capacity engaged about up to the end of next year and there is much concern regarding the filling of contracts since the lack of fuel grows more alarming. Instead of pig iron production showing another new high record on December 1, as was indicated by the urgency of demand, it now appears probable that a loss will be officially announced because coke was not available. Instead of furnace stocks being entirely eliminated, an increase may be recorded, since cars could not be secured to remove supplies. Merchant steel mills have orders for months ahead. A seasonable decrease has occurred in the movement of pipe, while independent mills have furnished sufficient competition in sheets and wire nails to bring slightly lower prices. The corner in tin collapsed, prices falling about 8 cents in a few days, and silver declined to the lowest point since September, 1897.

Activity and strength are conspicuous in the markets for domestic wool.

Cotton goods are in better request, but mills delay new undertakings because of the sudden rise in raw material.

Footwear factories are busy on spring goods, many having contracts for some months' full occupation.

Staple products continue advancing, corn making a most sensational gain. This grain is not governed by precedent, the smallest exports for many years failing to produce any effect.

Shipments from Atlantic ports for the week reached the lowest points since 1894, amounting to only 278,215 bushels against 6,336,715 last year. Wheat was also sharply advanced to the best price of the season, largely through sympathy with corn.

Exports of wheat from all ports of the United States amounted to 4,815,502 bushels for the week against 3,255,211 a year ago.

AN UNEQUALED RECORD.

THERE IS A RAPIDLY INCREASING VOLUME OF BELLEFONTE EVIDENCE ROLLING UP FOR THE GREAT MEDICINE, DR. A. W. CHASE'S NERVE PILLS.

It would seem that hardly anyone can take Dr. A. W. Chase's Nerve Pills without receiving marked benefit. The wonderful action of this medicine in putting people on their feet who are in a weak run down condition is the talk of every place they are known. It is only a short time since they first came to Bellefonte yet today they are more in evidence for merit with Bellefonte people than all other medicines combined.

Soloman Garrett of No. 301 Allegheny St., Bellefonte, Pa., says:—"I had been feeling very much run down for a long time. My head ached a great deal and I felt tired and sore all over. I was also bothered with sleeplessness at night. I saw Dr. A. W. Chase's Nerve Pills so highly recommended I got a box at Krumrine's Drug Store and they did me a great deal of good. I felt first rate after using them and have no hesitation in recommending them to others."

By calling at Krumrine's Drug Store information can be obtained regarding this great success of Dr. A. W. Chase's Nerve Pills and how they were first introduced by proof of their merit.

Dr. A. W. Chase's Nerve Pills are sold at 50c a box at dealers or Dr. A. W. Chase Medicine Co., Buffalo, N. Y. See that portrait and signature of A. W. Chase, M. D. are on every package.

The Beech Creek Extension.

In a circular issued by J. P. Morgan & Co., offering for sale $3,500,000 of the $4,500,000 Beech Creek extension bonds official announcement is made of the plans of that company. The extension was formed by combining the Susquehanna and Clearfield, West Branch and Canoe Creek roads to relieve the Beech Creek railroad from the surplus of coal offered from the mines of the region. The extension gives the New York Central practically a two track line for the coal business. The Susquehanna and Clearfield extends from Karthaus to Keating, twenty-three miles, connecting with the Philadelphia and Erie at Keating. The West Branch connects Karthaus and Clearfield, twenty-nine miles. This line is now under construction. The Canoe Creek extends from a point on the Pennsylvania and Northern near Ebell to Rossitur, Indiana county, over three miles. About 4,000 acres of valuable bituminous coal land has been bought in Indiana county. The New York Central owns the entire capital stock of the Beech Creek extension and has a 999 year lease on the road.

Bituminous Coal Prices.

Bituminous coal prices have risen sharply during the last few weeks, and the trade looks for them to go still higher. With anthracite sold right up to supply limit, the demand for soft coal exceeds anything ever before known. Spot coal is scarcely to be had and the shortage of cars, which continues as great as ever, makes it impossible to get coal to market any faster.

"Coal at the mines" said a representative of one of the largest producing companies yesterday, "now runs from $1.50 a ton for Clearfield to $1.75 for big vein coal from Meyersville on the Baltimore and Ohio. To these prices must be added freight to tide of from $1.10 to $1.40 a ton. During the summer prices at the mines ranged from $1.15 to $1.25 a ton.

"Within a few days a large sale of spot coal was made in New York at $2.15 f. o. b. at the mine. The freight on this was $1.40, bringing the price at tide up to $3 65 a ton.

Of Benefit to You.

D. S. Mitchell, Fulford, Md.: "During a long illness I was troubled with bed sores, was advised to try DeWitt's Witch Hazel Salve and did so with wonderful results. I was perfectly cured. It is the best salve on the market," Sure cure for piles, sores, burns. Beware of counterfeits. C. M. Parrish.

"Does It Jar You?"

Prof. Walter Watson Giffen, a magnetic healer at Watsontown, who has been effecting some astonishing cures by the practice of his natual and acquired art, delivered a startling lecture in the opera house at that place on Thursday night, his subject being, "Does it Jar You, or the True art of Healing as Taught by the Bible," clearly demonstrating authority for healing by magnetism or the laying on of hands from the most ancient and best of all authorities. The young man, who is a Northumberland county boy, is a wonder to those who know him, and who have a knowledge of his acquirements.—Gazette and Bulletin.

HOOD'S PILLS cure Liver Ills, Biliousness, Indigestion, Headache. Easy to take, easy to operate. 25c.

—Miss Bella Lowry, who has been quite seriously ill with inflammation of the bowels, is improving slowly.

—The venerable S. B. Barton, of Unionville, suffered a stroke of paralysis on Saturday that affected his right arm and rendered him speechless.

—Karthaus, for the first time in many years, hasn't an empty house within its scope. Many more would locate there if they could obtain houses to live in.

—Mrs. John Flack, of Valentines iron works, who suffered a stroke of paralysis about a month ago that caused her to become blind, is reported to be worse.

—Mrs. Elizabeth Calloway entertained the Bellefonte Chapter of the Daughters of the American Revolution at the Bush home on Spring street Monday evening.

—Capt. W. H. Fry, of Pine Grove Mills, communicated the information to this paper that the thermometer registered the *misery* mark in that neck o' woods Friday morning.

—At the annual meeting of the Pennsylvania Dairymen's Union, held in York last week, H. Haywood, of State College, was elected secretary of the Union for the ensuing year.

—Mrs. Robert Henderson is lying at the point of death at her home at Hunters Park. Several physicians have been in consultation over her case and little hope of her recovery is entertained.

—"Around the World With the Man in the Moon." is to be presented at Philipsburg, Friday and Saturday, Dec. 13th and 14th by local talent for the benefit of the High School Library Fund. It is under the management of Mr. Hoffman who conducted the same entertainment at this place last spring.

—George Hart, of Bellefonte, an employe of the Commercial Telephone company, met with an accident at Jersey Shore Tuesday, which nearly cost him the sight of one of his eyes. He was engaged in stringing wire when it broke and an end struck him in the left eye, cutting an ugly gash in the white, a bare half inch from the sight.—Williamsport Sun.

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While the unloaded pistol goes on slaying its thousands and the ever loaded oil can its ten of thousands there is something else that appears equally as innocent and unassuming that claims victims every year and causes much financial loss and exquisite suffering among men and animals. The instrument of death and suffering referred to is the upturned rusty nail so common around the average farm and in the backyards of country stores. It may seem a very small and simple act to stop and break off or turn down a nail, but that small and simple service may be the means of saving a life or of preventing the most acute suffering the human body can endure.—Farm and Home.

Kodol Dyspepsia Cure
Digests what you eat.
C. M Parrish.

Wronged His Wife.

A story of a man's alleged dual life became public at Williamsport Thursday when J. Vincent Johnson, of Jamestown, N. Y., was arrested in that city charged with wife desertion.

Johnson, who is 50 years old, came to Williamsport several months ago and is alleged to have been married to a young woman named Lottie Webber, of Sugar Valley. Soon after arriving he wrote to his wife that he was ill in a hospital, and has since written similar letters advising her of his slow progress towards health. Becoming worried over her husband's condition Mrs. Johnson left Jamestown and came to Williamsport. Upon her arrival there she learned the true condition of affairs and caused her husband's arrest.

Extracted Tooth Causes Death.

Miss Olive, only daughter of George S. Davis, a wealthy resident of Selinsgrove, died Thur day after a long interval of intense suffering. Two weeks ago she had an eye tooth extracted and the wound subsequently developed blood poisoning which so affected her eyes that, had she survived, total blindness would have been her fate during the rest of her life. No case similar to this has been noted by the attending physicians.

Couldn't Estimate Its Value.

Dr. Agnew's Cure for the Heart never fails. It relieves in 30 minutes, it cures. It is a beacon-light to lead you back to health. W. H. Musselman, of G. A. R., Weissport, Pa., says: "Two bottles of Dr. Agnew's Cure for the Heart entirely cured me of palpitation and smothering spells. Its value cannot be estimated." —70

Sold by F. P. Green.

Smashed Windows on the Train.

Gazette and Bulletin: There was a lively fight on the Beech Creek train that reached here shortly after 9 o'clock Thureday night. It was reported that a crowd of intoxicated men got aboard the train up the road and later began fighting among themselves, smashing several windows before they were subdued.

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Small-pox in Snyder County.

Four Kerstetter children, near McKee's Half Falls, Snyder county, are ill with small-pox. There were five in all down with the disease, but one died Thursday. The schools in that locality are closed, owing to the prevalence of the scourge.

An Evangelist's Story.

"I suffered for years with a bronchial or lung trouble and tried various remedies but did not obtain permanent relief until I commenced using One Minute Cough Cure," writes Rev. James Kirkman, evangelist of Belle River, Ill., "I have no hesitation in recommending it to all sufferers from maladies of this kind." One Minute Cough Cure affords immediate relief for coughs, colds and all kinds of throat and lung troubles. For croup it is unequaled. Absolutely safe. Very pleasant to take, never fails and is really a favorite with the children. They like it. C. M. Parrish.

—The Bituminous *Record* of Philipsburg, is a yellow journal and no mistake. At least this weeks edition is for it is printed on yellow paper.

PERTINENT PARAGRAPHS.

New York Tribune: The "get rich quick" business sometimes turns out to be a "get locked up" affair.

Philadelphia Record: The red-mouthed proclaimers of anarchy are the least dangerous of the cult.

Philadelphia Ledger: The war taxes should be abolished, and so should the congressional war on the treasury.

Atlanta Constitution: The red line of suicide is drawn across many short accounts and yet does not balance them.

New York Mail and Express: If Senor Roosevelt were eligible, he would make a popular presidential candidate in Cuba.

Harrisburg Star-Independent: There is just the least danger that out of the multiplicity of schemes to deal with anarchists nothing will come.

Chicago Record-Herald: Secretary Hay says lying is not diplomacy. This being the case we must conclude that the sultan isn't much of a diplomat.

Pittsburg Gazette: The alleged Pan-American congress has only so far developed some very interesting discussions on the table manners of Americans.

Baltimore American: We should not lose sight of the fact that Queen Wilhelmina's consort seems to have acquired all Holland for a mother-in-law.

Washington Star: Republicans who do not care for reciprocity are republicans who do not care for the republicanism of McKinley, Blaine, Dingley and Roosevelt.

New York World: The new Siamese minister, Phya Akharaj Oradhara, will be made welcome in Washington as soon as the president learns how his name is pronounced.

—Amos Rusie, who stopped making baskets at $12 per week to become a professional base ball pitcher at $150 a week during the season, is now earning $1.50 a day by digging trenches for water works in Muncie, Ind.

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—The club house of the Nittany Rod and Gun Club at Hecla Park it is reported will be closed for the winter season. Supt. Brower will remain in the club house and entertain members and their parties upon notice but the club will not be opened regularly again until the fishing season begins in the spring.

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EDITORIAL.

"Judge Love is the recognized leader of the Quay forces in Centre county."—John Hamilton to the Republican county convention, July 30, 1901.

AN EGG of the Great Auk recently sold in London for £252. Without doubt the Great Auk is in the same class with the goose that lays the golden eggs.

WHY should the whiskey tax be reduced? It is added to the price of the goods and is charged up to the consumer—who is certainly entitled to less consideration than are those who use any other article.

THERE seems to be a growing sentiment in political circles that John P. Elkin will not head the State ticket next year. He is likely to be requested to go away back and sit down—and saw wood.

A comparison of the police forces of London and New York shows the former city to have 13,000 "bobbies" drawing salaries of $3,567,760, while in New York there are 6000 "cops" at an annual cost of $10,550,000.

THERE was sufficient evidence produced at the annual meeting of the State Dairymens' Association held in York last week to prove conclusively that John Halmiton the Secretary of Agriculture is still true to his old love—The oleo Manufactures. How much does he get for his *incapacity* to prosecute?

INDICATIONS justify the conclusion that Judge Love will be permitted to serve out his term so far as the interference of Governor Stone is concerned. While we deeply regret that Superior Court honors seem not to be for His Honor we nevertheless rejoice that W. E. Gray, Esq., is to be spared the hardships and expense of what would be a hopeless campaign were he to have been appointed to the vacancy Judge Love's judicial promotion would have occasioned.

THE Harrisburg correspondents of the Philadelphia dailies a few days ago revived the story that Judge Mitchell of the Superior Court had resigned and Governor Stone will appoint as his successor Judge John Gray Love, of Centre county. It has been subsequently ascertained that the "revival" was due to a dearth of legitmate news from the state capital. The resignation of Judge Mitchell and the advancement of Judge Love to the Superior tribunal is to date but a dream.

WHEN as Recorder of Pittsburg Maj. A. M. Brown appointed to positions in his official family such notorious pledge breakers and traitors as W. W. Nesbit and John P. McTighe in reward for their legislative treachery, he established the fact that he accepted the recordship conditionally—that he was to obey orders from the gang who placed him in authority. When he ignored the commands of his boss he deserved to be kicked out and he is not entitled to sympathy nor respect since he publishes private and confidential letters in justification of his course while Recorder.

JOHNNY MAY COME MARCHING HOME.

A rumor has been going the rounds of the press, eminating from Harrisburg, to the effect that the State administration is becoming restive under the load it carries with John Hamilton as Secretary of the State Department of Agriculture and that Governor Stone may, at an early date, request that gentleman to step down and out

It is well known that politically Mr. Hamilton is not worth thirty cents to the machine, into whose service he entered at the sacrifice of his good name and his former political principles. He was unable at the late election to carry his home borough for the machine state ticket.

When Mr. Hamilton was elevated from Deputy Secretary of Agriculture—to which position Governor Hastings appointed him a fact which to his discredit he forgets in his unwarranted attacks upon the personal and political character of the man who gave him his introduction to public life—to the head of the department it was with the hope that he could rally to the support of the administration the vast agricultural following of the Commonwealth.

It may be said that from the date of his promotion his administration of the affairs of the department has been antagonistic to the interests the farmers of the State and his association with the Oleo frauds and their disclosures has brought more censure and condemnation upon the Stone administration than any other irregularity charged against the machine State Government. Mr. Hamilton has signally failed to size up to the requirements his appointment imposed so to speak. He has arrayed, it may be said, the entire agricultural contingent against the Stone administration. Officially speaking he has been a costly blunder to the gang and in view of the fact that Governor Stone is straining every nerve and using—or abusing—every gubernatorial prerogative to create a political machine to serve and promote his personal ambitions, it can be regarded as extremely probable that Mr. Hamilton will be requested to relieve the Governor of his blighting official and political association. Both from the standpoint of public service and political exigency Governor Stone could be pardoned for Mr. Hamilton's decapitation,

A COUSIN OF THE POPE ON UNCLE SAM'S PAY ROLL.

A cousin of the Pope is now a messenger in the Postoffice Department at Washington. He is Augustus Prosperi, a first cousin once removed of the "holy father." He is sixteen years of age, and, strange to say, in view of his close kinship to the head of the Church of Rome, is not a Catholic. His grand-father, the head of an old Italian family, was a prominent Catholic, who had trouble with the authorities of the holy office and was obliged to leave the country in disguise. His sister, who remained behind, married II Signor Pecci. Their son, Gioachino Pecci, is Leo XIII, the present head of the Catholic Church. The boy lives in Washington with his mother, and has been in office a couple of weeks. When his relation to the Pope became known the young messenger could hardly attend to his work. The clerks came to look him over and ask him questions.—Christian Advocate.

SOME Chicago men have been sent to jail for contempt of court. Criticism of the judiciary is allowed in no other country in the world except the United States. It may be that the judiciary of no other country in the world but the United States compels criticism. Contemplation of the judiciary in Pennsylvania, in spots, naturally leads one to raise the question.

IF, as it is claimed, the voting machine will reduce the machine vote let us have it in Pennsylvania as soon as possible.

WILL ELKIN be "it or "nit" when he returns from his pilgrimage to Florida with Senator Quay.

PRESERVED IN THE HEARTS OF THE PEOPLE.

The original copy of the Declaration of Independence is said to have faded until it has the appearance of a blank sheet of parchment. A few barely discernible pen strokes are all that remain. A New York photographer suggests that the document be photographed immediately in the hope that a plate will show what the eyes no longer see. He notes that modern photography has often brought out faded writing, and in one case decided a law suit by bringing out a faded signature to a deed. There are innumerable facsimile copies of the Declaration of Independence made at a time when the document was in a perfect state of preservation, and it is of small moment to make a photographic plate of it now except to show its condition at the time the photograph is taken. Moreover, though the pen strokes on the original instrument are entirely obliterated and the ravages of time reduce the parchment to dust, the principles it declared for and proclaimed throughout the world will never perish from the earth nor will the glory and splendor of the matchless nation it ushered into existence ever fade in the history of the world's achievements. The Declaration of Independence is preserved in every American heart and while Americans live and people their heritage the Declaration of Independence will be preserved in its entirety.

WORTH THE RISK.

If the nomination of Attorney-General Elkin as the Republican candidate for Governor, would, as it is believed by several prominent machine leaders, bring about the defeat of Boies Penrose for re-election as United States Senator, we truly believe that the majority of the citizens of Pennsylvania would gladly risk the election of Elkin to secure a partial redemption of the Commonwealth in the United States Senate. One of the most humiliating political calamities ever visited upon the great State of Pennsylvania was the election of Boies Penrose to the United States Senate. The people of Philadelphia arose in revolt when he was brought forward as the Republican candidate for mayor some years ago and the Republican city leaders were compelled to withdraw his name on the eve of the nominating convention and substituted the name of Chas. F. Warwick, who was subsequently elected. The people of Pennsylvania and the good name of the State were obliged to pay the penalty of Philadelphia's repudiation of Penrose. Quay secured his election as Senator Cameron's successor. Pennsylvania for almost six years has been forced to submit to the stigma of a United States Senator in the person of this Penrose. If the day of deliverance comes with the nomination of Elkin for Governor let all good citizens pray for Elkin's nomination. Two evils can then be removed at one and the same time—at the polls in the fall of 1902.

WHY HE CAME HOME.

Joseph H. Choate, our Ambassador to England, told the Lotus Club of New York in the following language the reason for his recent return to this country. There is a fine touch of Americanism in what he said: "I was just a little homesick. I wanted to breathe once more a little American air. None of your second hand, breathed-over stuff but American air—the real thing—fresh every morning from the Rocky Mountains and the bosom of the Atlantic. I wanted to revel in a little American sunshine. Why, there is more real, bright, honest sunshine in Stockbridge or New York in one minute than in a whole week in London." It goes without saying that Ambassador Choate believes America to be God's chosen country, rich in the blessings of His love and benificence.

SENATOR QUAY is believed to favor Ex-Senator J. Donald Cameron for Governor. It is doubtful whether the voters of Pennsylvania will ratify Mr. Quay's choice whoever it may be.

THE POLITICAL JUDGE.

The writer on the Philadelphia Press staff whose journalistic offices include the review of conditions political in the various counties of the Commonwealth, from information gleaned from rural exchanges and perhaps by personal inquiry, and the presentation of his observations to the Press readers under the caption "Topics in the State," had a few days since the following to say concerning the prospective judicial contest in Clearfield county:

"Though there will be no election for Judge in Clearfield county until 1903 it is reported that quite a number of the Republican members of the bar are preparing to enter the contest. This means that Judge Gordon's renomination is not accepted as a foregone conclusion. Reports from Clearfield indicate that the election of Judge Gordon would be very unlikely, notwithstanding the county has become pretty strongly Republican. It has shown in the late election—when it gave a majority against a too well known favorite son—that it knows how to discriminate, and just as likely as not it would take some pride in having an accounting with Judge Gordon, who has been pretty busy in politics throughout his term."

It has been demonstrated times out of mind in political history that a Judge of the courts who steps down from his judicial pedestal to engage in political controversies creates at once a public sentiment adverse to his fitness for the high position to which he had been called and instills, at the same time, in the public mind a doubt as to his ability to discharge the functions of his office with justice and equity. There is always the fear with a political Judge that politics exert an influence in the court of justice over which he presides and when such an opinion becomes firmly established such a court is looked upon with suspicion and is often regarded with contempt.

As a rule the voters in a judicial district who find that they have created a political leader by the election of their Judge of the courts will take the first opportunity to express their displeasure and condemnation and that invariably leads to the retirement of the political Judge at the expiration of his first term. Legal learning and judicial qualifications are usually lost sight of when politics secures the time and attention and influence of a Judge. The people of Pennsylvania have time after time declared in the caucus and at the polls that they will not countenance a political judiciary and the Judge who disregards the warning that has been expressed in the experience of others merits a repudiation when he seeks a re-election.

JUDGE MITCHELL, of Lycoming county, one of Governor Stone's judicial appointees who met defeat at the last election, is being boomed by the Williamsport Gazette and Bulletin for the Superior Court bench vacancy—when it occurs. Judge Miller, of Mercer county is another *favorite son* urged for the place. He is a politician from away back, an unscrupulous machine follower who recognizes no limit in his willingness to execute machine orders. Against such a competitor as Judge Miller, Judge Love, inspite of all his claims upon the appointive power, will stand no chance for success, not to speak of the Lycoming county aspirant.

THE appointment of ex-State Senator Henry D. Saylor, of Montgomery county as U. S. Consul at Dawson City will be considered, by those who know the appointee in his political character, as a distinct advantage to the county from which he hails—he will live and labor in Dawson City.

—Note the ad of the Taylor-Moore Folding Crate Co. of Huntingdon, Pa. This company manufactures a folding crate for the shipment of poultry, bread stock and egg and it is growing in favor with shippers whose business requires crate service. Send for their catalogue and price list.

—The REPUBLICAN and New York Weekly Tribune one year for $1.25.

WASHINGTON LETTER.

From our Regular Correspondent.)

WASHINGTON, Dec. 11, 1901.

Since the first session of Congress one week ago Monday a large amount of work has been accomplished considering that this is the first session of a new Congress. No legislation of importance has been actually enacted but a gratifying number of preliminary details have been disposed of.

On Tuesday the President's message was read in both houses and met with the almost universal approval of the members, but two recommendations meeting with any opposition from the republicans. Those are Colonel Roosevelt's advocacy of the inauguration of a federal irrigation system and his advice on the subject of reciprocity which is not concurred in by some of the members of his party. As soon as the message had been read and referred to the Committee of the whole by the House, that body adjourned until Friday.

Before adjournment however a large number of bills were filled with the clerk the total number aggregating over two thousand. Among the bills which have been introduced are measures providing for Chinese exclusion the enforcement of the Dingley tariff schedules in the Philippines, (a measure made necessary by the setting aside of the present tariff law as applied to the islands by a Supreme Court decision) numerous bills intended to suppress anarchy and punish attempts on the life of the President; a bill providing a pension of $5,000 per annum for Mrs. McKinley; a bill providing for the reservation of 4,000,000 acres of forest land in the Southern Appalachian mountains to be known as the McKinley National Park, and numerous bills intended to remedy the evils attendant upon the formation of trusts.

Probably the most important work in the House has been the nomination by Speaker Henderson of the Ways and Means Committee, the appropriations Committee and the Committee on Enrolled Bills. The Ways and Means Committee is composed of Representatives Payne, Hopkins, Grosvenor, Russell, Steele, Tawney, M'Call, Long, Babcock, Metcalfe, (republicans) Richardson, Robertson, Swanson, M'Clellan, Newlands and Cooper, (democrats) This includes one more republican and one less democrat than formerly, Speaker Henderson believing that, in view of the increased majority in the House, the republicans were entitled to increased representation on this important committee.

Immediately after the appointment of the Committee it met in the Capitol to discuss the Philippine tariff situation and another meeting was held on Saturday. No time will be lost in reporting a bill which will meet with the approval of a majority of both the House and the Senate. It is the hope of Speaker Henderson and Chairman Payne that this necessary legislation may be enacted before the holiday adjournment. Senator Lodge introduced a bill into the Senate providing for the application of the schedules of the Dingley bill to the Philippines but, as all revenue legislation should originate in the House, it is probable that the Senator's bill will give way to that reported by the Ways and Means Committee.

On Wednesday the Senate received from the President the report of the isthmian Canal Commission and the Hay-Pauncefote treaty. The Provisions of the treaty accorded with the predictions made in these letters. It calls for no compensation to Great Britain in return for the abrogation of the Clayton-Bulwer treaty and leaves the United States the sole master of the canal with the right to fortify or otherwise protect it and requires the simple pledge that the canal shall be maintained as a neutral waterway.

The convention was immediately referred to the Committee on Foreign Relations and Friday that committee unanimously voted to recommend it for ratification. Senator Burrows tells me that he believes the measure will receive the vote of every republican senator and a sufficient number of democratic votes to insure its passage. Senator Jones, the democratic leader, does not believe that there will be any formal opposition by the democratic senators.

The Isthmian Canal Commission favors the Nicaraguan route, the cost of which it estimates at $189,864,062. This canal will have to be provided with locks and will be without harbor facilities at either end. It is estimated that it can be completed in eight years and the total length would be 183 miles.

The cost of completing the Panama canal is placed at $144,233,358 and the amount required to purchase the canal from the French company $109,141,000 although the Commission values the work done at only $40,000,000. In favor of the Panama route it may be said that it would be a sea level canal, only forty-nine miles long, that it has harbors at each end and that it would cost $1,300,000 per annum less to operate than the Nicaragua canal. The Commission unqualifiedly recommends the Nicaraguan route and Senator Morgan has already introduced his bill providing for its construction.

In view of the fact that at the expiration of fifty years the original cost of the Nicaraguan route, plus the increased cost of maintenance for that period, will have equalled the total cost of the Panama route if it were chosen and that subsequent to that time the United States would be relieved of an annual expense of $1,300,000 that vessels would find a at harbor either end of the canal and that the time consumed in traversing the Nicaraguan canal will amount to thirty three hours as against twelve hours for the Panama canal, it would seem difficult to understand the grounds on which the Commission recommends the former route.

A further consideration should not be lost sight of however and that is that the French company holds out for a price approximately $70,000,000 in excess of the amount at which the Commission values the work done. In view of this fact a reasonable surmise is that the Commission and Congress intend to proceed with the preliminaries looking to the construction of the Nicaraguan canal with the hope that it may induce the French owners of the Panama route to listen to reason and accept the Commissions valuation of $40,000,000 on their plant. If they can be induced to do this the total cost of the canal would not exceed, assuming that the Commission's estimates are correct, $189,000,000 and an annual saving of $1,300,000 would have been effected.

To Improve the Skin.

Buy 5 cents worth each of rose water, benzoin and glycerine; mix; add juice of one lemon and one-half pint of hot water; when cool it is ready for use, and the best remedy for chapped hands that can be imagined, as it is not sticky and dries in at once.

Now, every evening have water hotter than the hands can bear and a soft piece of flannel kept for the purpose.

Wring the flannel out in the water and apply at once to the face, rubbing gently and steaming it.

This must be quickly repeated six times altogether.

Then at once dash cold water six times on the face.

Dry carefully and apply the lotion.

In one month's time you will hardly know your own face.

Usually the water from bathroom faucets is hot enough so the whole proceeding is really no trouble at all.

Serum Treatment for Tetanus.

PITTSBURG, Dec. 10.—Dr. Leteve, of the C. L. Magee pathological department of Mercy hospital, has discovered what has every indication of being a successful serum treatment for tetanus or lockjaw. After a year of patient experimenting on lower animals, the doctor within the last three weeks had the opportunity of testing his theory on human subjects, one a middle-aged man, a middle-aged woman and a boy 10 years of age.

According to the physician's statement, when these patients were first given the injections of the serum, they were violent, being in spasms and convulsions. The treatment soon brought them around and within five or six days they were restored to their former health.

Expensive Smallpox Case.

The one case of smallpox cost the city of Hazelton $1,134,52. The patient, a woman, came to that place several weeks ago from Philadelphia, and was immediately removed to an emergency hospital. She has just been discharged.

CENTRE COUNTY TEACHERS

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in conclusion.

The usual inspiring song service was conducted by Prof. Meyer, all joining in with enthusiasm.

Dr. Fess occupied the first period of the morning with an interesting talk on "The Causes of the Revolution." The acts of the mother country, England, which led up to the struggle for liberty by this nation, was told in an interesting and instructive manner.

Frank H. Gamel, general secretary of the Bellefonte Young Men's Christian Association, was then introduced and gave an earnest talk on the evils of tobacco. If the young women of our country would refuse to have anything to do with a young man who uses tobacco, that instant would the evil be abolished. Tobacco ruins the health, causes cancer, weak heart and many other diseases. It is not a preventative of disease; will not prevent contagion. Nicotine poison is killing many people every year. It affects the mind, stops the growth of children. Students who do not use tobacco carry off the highest honors at the universities. It is also an expensive habit.

A recess of ten minutes followed Mr. Gamel's talk. After the recess all joined in singing Nos. 3 and 2 in the Institute song book.

Dr. Warren Darst then gave a talk on the subject "Illustrated Pedagogy." He said, among other things, "The mind grows by self-activity. It begins with sense activity and goes to a higher mind activity. We are studying books and not the objects." He urged the advantage of teaching by means of objects. Much more progress can be made by this method than by the text book alone.

Dr. Corson made the closing talk on "What a Pupil Expects from a Teacher in Discipline." It is hard to look on both sides of the question. There is no person in the world who is in so much danger of getting on one side of the question as a teacher. Let us think of the pupil's side of a question. The speaker discussed the pupil's side in a very able manner. The methods of enforcing discipline were set forth ably and the advantage of firmness was shown. Discipline is better than ever before in our schools and kindness and humanity have their proper place.

WEDNESDAY AFTERNOON.

The Court House was crowded at the afternoon session, standing room being at a premium, The principal addresses were as follows: "Literature" by Dr. Darst, "Self-Help" by Dr. Corson and a historical talk on "War" by Dr. Fess.

Supt. Gramley appointed February 21, 1902 as Parents Day in the Public schools over the county.

Alum Baking Powders.

There are so many alum baking powders about, most of which are represented to be made of cream of tartar, that the following list of powders in which chemists have found alum will be of value:

I C.....Contains Alum.
Manf. by Jaques Mfg. Co. Chicago.
Davis' O. K.....Contains Alum.
Manf. by R. B. Davis & Co., New York.
Golden Shield.....Contains Alum.
Manf. by Monroe Co., Chemical Co., Fairport N. Y.

The housekeeper should bear in mind that alum makes a cheap baking powder. It costs but two cents a pound, while cream of tartar costs thirty. The quality of the powder is therefore, usually indicated by the price.

THE CHARLESTON EXPOSITION,

Reduced Rates via the Pennsylvania Railroad.

During the continuance of the South Carolina Inter-State and West-Indian Exposition, to be held at Charleston, S. C., from December 1 to June 1, the Pennsylvania Railroad Company will sell excursion tickets to Charleston and return from all points on its line at reduced rates. These tickets will be sold daily from November 30 to May 31, and will be of two descriptions: Season tickets, bearing a final limit of June 3, 1902, and eleven day tickets, good to return within eleven days, including date of sale, but not good after June 3, 1902. These tickets will not be good to stop off en route. For rates and further particulars apply to Ticket Agents.

NOT THE ONLY ONE.

There are Hundreds of Bellefonte People Similarly Situated.

Can there be any stronger proof offered than the evidence of Bellefonte residents? After you have read the following quietly answer the question.

Mr. William Valence East Lamb street, Night watchman, says: "For 2 years or more off and on, I had trouble with my back and pains in the upper part of my spine accompanied by a disagreeable feeling in my head and acute lameness right over my kidneys. At first I thought it was my liver but later found it arose from the kidneys not acting properly. I read of the many cures that had been made in Bellefonte by Doan's Kidney Pills and I got them at F. Potts Green's drug store. They stopped the annoyance from the kidneys and removed the lameness and aching in my back. They did me any amount of good and I do not hesitate to recommend them."

For sale by all dealers. Price 50 cents. Foster-Milburn Co., Buffalo, N. Y., sole agents for the U. S.

Remember the name—Doan's—and ake no substitute.

BAD LUCK IN A GREAT SHOT.

It Killed Two Deer and Got the Hunter Into a Lot of Trouble.

From the Chicago Inter-Ocean.

A remarkable shot brought bad luck to Charles W. Dahlgreen, of 161 Clark street. While hunting near Pembine, Wis., last Tuesday. He killed two deer at one shot, and in undertaking to ship them home he broke the Lacey law concerning the transportation of game from one state to another. The Wisconsin game warden will apply to governor Yates for requisition papers to bring Dahlgreen to Wisconsin for trial. The penalty under the Lacey law is $200 for each offence. The deer were seized in Milwaukee last Wednesday. Dahlgreen escaped arrest because of the shortness of his stay in Milwaukee. He says that he believes Governor Yates will not issue requisition papers for such a light offence, and that his misfortune ended with the loss of his deer and trunk, which were seized in Milwaukee.

"I have hunted deer for five successive seasons in Wisconsin and have never intentionally broken a game law," said Dahlgreen yesterday. "I would have had no trouble this time had it not been for that unusual shot. I paid my $25 non-resident license and had hunted several days about four miles from Pembine, killing only one deer. The Wisconsin law allows two deer to each hunter. Tuesday afternoon I went to a point in the woods where the deer often appear and sat down to wait for a shot. I carried a shotgun, as the light was dim. I had been seated only a few minutes when I heard a rustling in the bushes across the ravine, about 60 yards away, and a big doe appeared. I waited until she turned so as to give me a side shot, and fired.

"When I reached the spot I found the doe still kicking, and twenty feet away in the scrub growth, a small buck was struggling to get away. His hind legs were useless, a shot apparently having entered the spine. I finished him with a second shot and danced around and had a good time all to myself over my good luck.

"I was not so happy, however, when I remembered that the law allowed me only two deer, and I had killed three. The residents of the Wisconsin forests are not friendly to the non-resident hunters, and I was afraid they might make trouble. I decided that the best thing to do was to get home as soon as possible, What I ought to have done was to let the deer lie there and rot. I did not know it was against the law to ship more than two deer out of the state, but as it was against the law to kill more than two I put the hindquarters and hide of the first deer I had killed in my trunk and expressed the last two.

"I left Pembine the night that I killed the deer, but some one must have notified the warden at Milwaukee, for when I was changing cars there I was approached by a warden, who demanded that I open my trunk. I refused, and he seized the trunk. When I arrived in Chicago and went to the express office I learned that the deer I had expressed had also been seized at Milwaukee."

Gov. Bob Taylor of Tennessee to Lecture in Bellefonte.

This evening, Gov. Bob Taylor, of Tennessee, will deliver in the Court house his famous lecture entitled "The Old Plantation." He will be assisted by a superb male quartette.

Many people confound Gov. Bob Taylor with the Gov. Taylor, of Kentucky, who is charged with being implicated in the killing of Gobel. This is a mistake as Gov. Bob Taylor is a Tennessee man and no relation of the Kentucky Governor.

In speaking of his lecture the Memphis *Scimitar* says:

"A flash of imagery, a burst of eloquence, and a wealth of glittering thoughts scattered like fireflies over a clover field—that is Bob Taylor's lecture. A song borne in the wings of some dear old melody, a joke rippling from a fountain of humor, a subtle note of pathos awakening tender, sacred memories—that is Bob Taylor's lecture. Words painted in all the colors of fancy and put together with all the skill of faultless diction, the lights of innocent childhood, and the shadows of somber age developed on the background of common experience—that is Bob Taylor's lecture. A radiant smile penetrating the gloom of despondency, a ray of hope arched in every man's horizon, a fragrant flower to brighten and to cheer—that is Bob Taylor's lecture."

—See our own make of fine Christmas Candies for churches and schools at 10 cts lb. Beautiful imbossed Christmas boxes furnished free when you buy your candy at Sourbecks 107 West High St.

—The annual meeting of the members of the corporation of the Womens' Christian Temperance Union will be held Thursday, December 19th, at 3 p. m. in their meeting rooms for the adoption of by-laws and the organization of the corporation for the ensuing year.

21-Dec. 18.

—Our own make of hand made clear toys and satin finished ribin candy only 10cts lb. at Sourbecks, 107 West High St.

AGENTS WANTED.—To canvass for the sale of Roses, Shrubs, and all varieties of nursery stock. Outfit free and start any man who wants to work. Write today for erms. C L. YATES, Rochester, N. Y.

WANTED—IN EACH COUNTY A PERson of integrity and good standing to represent and advertise well established business house of solid financial standing. Salary $18, weekly and expenses, payable weekly in cash direct from head offices. Horse and carriage furnished when necessary. Cash advanced for expenses. References Enclose self-addressed stamped envelope. Standard House, 334 Caxton Building, Chicago. Nov. 18 1mo.

QUAINT COLLEGE LAWS.

Rules Prescribing the Dress of Harvard Students In Bygone Days.

The curious laws regarding students' dress which prevailed at Harvard up to the middle of the last century are illustrated by two eighteenth century waistcoats which are among the collections of the Boston Art museum. One was worn by a member of the class of 1749 and the other by his son in 1784.

The latter waistcoat is olive green in color, conforming to the college regulations, which required either blue gray, plain black, "nankeen"—a kind of buff—or olive. The coat and breeches which originally went with it, as one may read in the old time Harvard "Laws," were blue gray. Freshmen of that date were allowed only plain buttonholes, sophomores leaped to the dignity of having buttons on their cuffs, juniors might have inexpensive frogs to their buttonholes except that they might not have them on their cuff buttonholes, and the senior enjoyed frogs, buttonholes and buttons complete. Seniors and juniors were permitted also to wear black Oxford gowns, such as are worn at graduation today, and a "night gown," or dressing gown, was permissible on certain unimportant occasions. It cost "not more than 10 shillings" for every appearance of gold or silver adornment.

The rules of costume were changed, of course, from time to time. In 1828, for example, the prescribed dress consisted of a black mixed coat, single breasted, "with a rolling cape square at the end and with pocket flaps, the waist reaching to the natural waist, with lapels of the same length." It is explained that "black mixed," called also Oxford mixed, was black with not more than one-twentieth nor less than one-twenty-fifth part of white. The senior was allowed to support his dignity with three "crow's feet" of black silk cord on the lower part of his coat sleeve. Two crow's feet were permitted to the junior, one to the sophomore and none at all to the freshman. The waistcoat was of black mixed or of black or, when of cotton or linen fabric, of white; single breasted, with a standing collar. The pantaloons were of black mixed.

APHORISMS.

Good counsels observed are chains of grace.—Fuller.

The beauty seen is partly in him who sees it.—Boyce.

Admiration is the daughter of ignorance.—Franklin.

In great attempts it is glorious even to fail.—Longinus.

The one prudence of life is concentration.—Emerson.

The golden age is before us, not behind us.—St. Simon.

Levity in behavior is the bane of all that is good and virtuous.—Seneca.

Better be driven out from among men than to be disliked by children.—Dana.

Loving kindness is greater than laws, and the charities of life are more than all ceremonies.—Talmud.

Have you so much leisure from your own business that you can take care of that of other people that does not belong to you?—Terence.

A Rattlesnake's Fangs.

You often hear of rendering a rattlesnake harmless by pulling out its fangs. Then, again, you read of cases where a serpent so treated has bitten persons fatally. The reason for this is that a poisonous snake is deprived only temporarily of its venomous powers by the extraction of the two incisors in the upper jaw, at the bases of which are the poison glands. Of course you know that the fangs are hollow, so that when the animal strikes the venom gushes through them into the flesh of the person struck. Now, by drawing the two teeth the snake may be rendered harmless for a few weeks, but after a short time the two teeth just behind the original fangs move up and take their places, making connection with the poison glands and thus becoming poison fangs as good and effective as the old ones.

Horses and Cold.

Colonel Sir T. H. Holdich, writing in "The Indian Borderland" of the terrible storms and wind and snow which overtake the traveler on the high passes of the Herat mountains, remarks on the superior power of the horse to withstand cold. In one such storm "over twenty men perished and many mules. All the dogs with the caravan were dead, but, so far as I can remember, no horses. Yet some of the chargers of the Eleventh Bengal lancers got slowly on their legs the day after the blizzard literally sheeted with ice as an ironclad is sheeted with steel." It is a fact worth noting that the horse will stand cold where a mule or a camel will not and where a dog will die.

Gates In Norway.

A curious feature to travelers in the highroads of Norway is the great number of gates—upward of 10,000 in the whole country—which have to be opened. These gates, which either mark the boundaries of the farms or separate the home fields from the waste lands, constitute a considerable inconvenience and delay to the traveler, who has to stop his vehicle and get down to open them.

Cruel and Unusual Punishment.

Mrs. Boerum (hopelessly)—Mortimer, I cannot make Willie mind.

Mr. Boerum (sternly)—William, do as your mother wishes, or I will make you go and sit in the cozy corner.—Brooklyn Eagle.

She—Oh, Harry, it is awful! Papa has forbidden you the house!

He—That's all right. It isn't the house I am after; it's you, darling.—Boston Transcript.

SHERIFF'S SALES.

By virtue of a writ of Levari Facias issued out of the Court of Common Pleas of Centre Co., Pa., and to me directed, there will be exposed to public sale, at the Court House, in the borough of Bellefonte, Pa.,

SATURDAY, DECEMBER 21st, 1901,

at 10:30 o'clock a. m., the following described real estate:

All those certain messuages, tenements, mining and mineral rights situate in Centre county, Pennsylvania, bounded and described as follows:

TRACT NO. 1. Situate in Spring township, Centre county aforesaid, bounded on the east by lands of Robert Valentine et al; on the south by lands of Charles McCafferty, John Musser et al; on the west by lands of John Musser, the heirs of Reuben Valentine et al; and on the north by lands of Wm. F. Reynolds and sundry town lots in Bellefonte borough, composed of parts of five tracts warranted in the names of Wm. Moore, Thomas Ball, Wm. Sharon Jr., James Harris and Hugh Turner, and more specifically described, according to a survey made thereof by J. M. Bell, Civil Engineer, on June 25th, A. D. 1886; as follows: Beginning at stones, northwesterly corner of said tract; thence along land now or formerly of James Harris' heirs, and crossing the Centre & Kishocoquillas turnpike, south thirty-five degrees, east, twenty and one-half perches to a stake; thence crossing the creek and the Bellefonte, Nittany & Lemont railroad south forty and one-half degrees, west, thirty-five perches to a stake thence south thirty-five degrees east, twenty-two and one-half perches to a stone; thence south thirteen degrees west, thirty-six and four-tenth perches to a stone near a white pine; south sixty-three degrees east, eleven perches to stones; thence south three and one-half degrees west thirty perches to stones; thence south thirteen and one-half degrees east, twenty-six perches to a white pine; thence south fifty-two and one-half degrees east, thirty-one and one half perches to a white pine; thence south thirty three degrees east, twenty perches to a stake thence, recrossing the Bellefonte, Nittany & Lemont railroad, north fifty-five degrees east, eighteen perches to a stake; thence south thirty-nine degrees east, thirty-four and two-tenths perches to a stake; thence, recrossing the creek, north fifty-five and one-half degrees east, four and two-tenth perches to a stake; thence north fifty degrees west, nine perches to a stake on the easterly bank of said creek; thence, recrossing the turnpike road, north forty-one and one-half degrees east, two hundred and thirty-six perches to a stake in the middle of the old Lewistown pike; thence south sixty-four and three-fourth degrees west, one hundred and fifty-nine and nine-tenth perches to a stake; thence north fifteen and one-half degrees west, one hundred and forty and seven-tenth perches to stones; thence along lands of Friends' Cemetery the three following courses and distances, to wit south, seventy-six and one-half degrees west, thirty-six and three-tenths perches to a stake; south, eighty-four and one-fourth degrees west; fourteen and seven-tenths perches to a stake; and north thirteen and one-half degrees west, thirteen perches to a stake; and thence leaving the Cemetery lot, south seventy-six and one-half degrees west, seventy-five and four-tenths perches to the place of beginning; containing one hundred and seventy-two acres (172 A) and eighty-two (82 pr.) perches; having thereon erected a large, modern, improved, hot-blast coke furnace, together with all engines and machinery necessary to operate the same, with brick engine and casting houses, boiler house, oil, ware and stock houses, a large frame foundry and machine shop, a large frame rolling and puddling mill, with six puddling furnaces equipped, a large two-story stone mansion house, stables, stone office building, twelve frame tenement houses, eight small stone tenement houses, one stone ware house and a number of small stables.

TRACT NO. 2. All that certain messuage, tenement and tract of land, situate in Spring township, Centre county aforesaid, beginning at a marked corner in the southerly line of the James Harris survey; hence south forty-four and one-half degrees east to a corner of lands formerly of George Valentine; thence by same north seventy-seven and one-half degrees west, one hundred and twenty perches, more or less, to the line of the Samuel Miles survey; thence, by Nathaniel Johnston and James Harris surveys, to the place of beginning, containing thirty-one acres, more or less, and having thereon erected a frame engine house, with washers and machinery for washing iron ore and two double and two single frame tenement houses, and known as the Nigh Bank of the late Centre Iron Company property.

TRACT NO. 3. All that certain messuage tenement and tract of land situate in Spring township, bounded on the south and west by lands of George Valentine and on the north and east by lands formerly of Reuben Valentine, more specifically described by metes and bounds as follows: Beginning at a post situate north eighty six degrees and thirty minutes west, twenty three and one half perches from the northwesterly corner of lands now or formerly of Mary V. Hale; thence along lands now or formerly of George Valentine north sixteen degrees west, thirty six and one-half perches to a post, hence still along the same and crossing the road leading from the Fishing Creek road to Curtin's Works, south seventy four degrees west, twenty three and one half perches to a post; thence along lands now or formerly of said Valentine and re-crossing said road leading from the Fishing Creek road to Curtin's Works, south sixteen degrees east, thirty six and one half perches to a post, thence along lands now or formerly of said Valentine, north seventy four degrees east, twenty three and one half perches to the place of beginning; containing five acres more or less, and having thereon erected a frame engine house and ore washing machinery and also a hoisting engine house, with one frame dwelling house, known as the Gatesburg Bank of the late Centre Iron Company property.

PURPART NO. 4. Also all the machinery and improvements erected in and upon a certain tract of land situate in Spring township, Centre county, containing thirty nine acres and one hundred and thirty nine perches, bounded on the north and west by lands of Reuben Valentine's heirs and on the south and east by lands of Dr. E. W. Hale, consisting of the ore washing plant of the late Centre Iron Company known as Taylor Bank, and having thereon erected a frame engine house, a hoisting engine house and one double frame tenement house.

PURPART NO. 5. Also all the machinery, engine houses, wells and ore washing plant connected with the Logan Bank of the late Centre Iron Company property, situate in Spring township, Centre county, on the property of Reuben Valentine, bounded on the north, south, east and west by lands of said Reuben Valentine; containing five acres, more or less.

PURPART NO. 6. Also all the iron ore, and mine, within, upon or underlying forty seven tracts or parcels of land situate in the townships of Spring, Benner, Walker, College, Boggs and Union in Centre county, Pennsylvania, composed in whole or part of the tracts warranted in the following names: One thereof in the name of Michael Hahn, containing 180 acres; one other thereof in the name of Uriah Woolman, containing 298 acres; one other thereof in the name of James Harris, containing 312 acres and 140 perches; one other thereof in the name of James Harris, containing 159 acres and 120 perches; one other thereof in the name of James Bertram, containing 192 acres and 16 perches; one other thereof in the name of Hugh Turner, containing 20 acres; one other thereof in the name of Ann Patton, containing 407 acres and 40 perches, two others thereof in the names of Samuel Miles and James Harris, containing respectively 266 acres; one other thereof in the name of Robert Means, containing 265 acres; one other thereof in the name of John Talbot, containing 400 acres; one other thereof in the name of John McComing, containing 413 acres and 173 perches; one other thereof in the name of Eleanor Johnston, containing 421 acres and 123 perches; one other thereof in the name of James Johnson, containing 433 acres; one other thereof in the name of Thomas Johnson, containing 433 acres; one other thereof in the name of John McKissick or McKisson, containing 187 acres and 100 perches; one other thereof in the name of William Carlisle, containing 130 acres; one other thereof in the name of Sam'l. Phipps, containing 233 acres 153 perches; one other thereof in the name of Jane Black, containing 400 acres; one other thereof in the name of William Wilson, containing 300 acres; one other thereof in the name of Rudolph Mulholland, containing 100 acres; one other thereof in the name of Chas. Wilson, containing 182 acres and 29 perches; one other thereof in the name of John Dunwoody, containing 329 acres; one other thereof in the name of James Long, containing 433 acres and 153 perches; one other thereof in the name of Joshua Deal, containing 433 acres and 153 perches; one other thereof in the name of John Irwin, containing 225 acres and 124 perches; one other thereof in the name of Samuel Miles, containing 366 acres and 130 perches; one other thereof in the name of Daniel Hartong, containing 419 acres and 57 perches; one other thereof in the name of Casper Kuhns, containing 453 acres; four others thereof in the names of Samuel Miles, John Dunlap, James Harris and Samuel Milliken, respectively containing 700 acres; three others thereof in the names of William Fulton, James Harris and Nathaniel Johnston, containing respectively 200 hundred acres; one other thereof in the name of Lindsay Coats, containing 315 acres; one other thereof in the name of George Evans Jr., containing 200 acres; one other thereof in the name of William Sharon Jr., containing 176 acres and 43 perches; three others thereof in the names of Peter Graybill, Joseph Hopkin and Evan Miles, respectively containing 550 acres; one other thereof in the name of Samuel Miles Jr., containing 368 acres; one other thereof in the name of Geo. Fry, containing 162 acres and 84 perches; one other thereof in the name of Thomas Bell, containing 160 acres; one other thereof in the name of William A. Thomas, containing 246 acres and 152 perches; one other thereof in the name of John Cooper, containing 140 acres and one other thereof in the name of Hugh Turner, containing 40 acres. (Excepting and reserving out of the Michael Hahn tract one fifth of the ore underlying a part thereof granted to William Riddle; out of the Eleanor Johnston tract, the ore underlying 128 acres granted to J. Y. Dale; out of the John Dunwoody tract, 191 acres underlying tract granted to John Hoover; out of the William Fulton, James Harris and Nathaniel Johnston tracts, one fourth of 100 acres thereof; out of the William Sharon tract, one fourth of 100 acres, and out of the Wm. A. Thomas tract 50 acres granted to David Harter; and also excepting all ore underlying any tracts conveyed by Jacob D. Valentine et al., or any of their ancestors by deeds recorded prior to August 2nd, 1886. Together with the right and privilege of free ingress, egress and regress on the surface of the respective tracts to search for, find, dig, deposit, clean, burn, take and carry away all such iron ore or mine, with all the rights and privileges necessary for the full, quiet and absolute enjoyment of the same, subject, however, to the payment to the respective owners of said surface their heirs and assigns, of $60.00 for each and every acre permanently occupied in the exercise of said right. All shafts or holes excavated in seaching for ore to be re-filled at the expense of the parties making such search.)

TOGETHER WITH the engine houses, derricks, boilers, engines, pumps washers, charcoal beds, forge tools, fixtures, sidings, railway cars, carts, wagons, scales, platform scales, incline planes, dwelling houses, stables, cabins, artesian wells, machinery erected on any of the foregoing lands or mineral rights, therein contained or used in connection therewith: and also together with all improvements and machinery which have been made to or placed upon the surface of any of the above mentioned forty-seven tracts upon which the said ore rights are conveyed, either by Edmund Blanchard or William M. Stewart, the Valentine Ore Land Association or the Centre Iron Company, since August 2nd, 1886, or prior thereto, by the grantors of said Blanchard and Stewart.

THE FOREGOING being the same property which The Fidelity Insurance, Trust & Safe Deposit Company, by its deed bearing date the twenty-sixth day of February A. D. one thousand eight hundred and ninety-one, and recorded in Centre county in Deed Book Vol. 61, page 355, granted and conveyed to the said The Valentine Iron Company, as by reference thereto will more fully and at large appear.

ALSO TOGETHER WITH all the corporate rights, franchises, immunities and privileges of the said The Valentine Iron Company under and by virtue of its charter of incorporation as granted by the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania, under Letters Patent bearing date the twenty-ninth day of January A D. one thousand eight hundred and ninety-one.

Seized, taken in execution, and to be sold as the property of The Valentine Iron Company, defendant, and Robert Valentine and The American Bonding & Trust Company of Baltimore City, terre tenants.

TERMS OF SALE.—No deed will be acknowledged until purchase money is paid in full.

CYRUS BRUNGART,
46-47 Sheriff.

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In the Estate of the GRAYSDALE MINING COMPANY, LIMITED. } In the Court of Common Pleas of Centre County. No 155 January Term, 1896.

The undersigned, an auditor appointed by the Court of Common Pleas of Centre County to pass upon the exceptions filed to the account of F. W. Crider, J. H. Lingle and H. R. Curtin, Trustees, and distribute the balance which may be shown due thereby to and among those legally entitled thereto, will attend to the duties of his appointment on Monday, the 30th day of December, A. D. 1901, at 10 o'clock A. M. at his office in Temple Court, in the borough of Bellefonte, Pa., when and where all persons are required to present their claims, or be forever debarred from coming in for a share of said fund.

HARRY KELLER, Auditor.

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Will be at the Garman House, Thursday, Dec. 19th, 9:30 to 8 p. m.

ABOUT GAS METERS.

WHY THESE ERRATIC INSTRUMENTS DO NOT EXPLODE.

Such an Accident Is No More Likely to Happen to Them Than to Milk Bottles or Salt Bags—What Does Happen In Case of Fire.

The proneness of the average newspaper reporter to attribute cellar conflagrations to the explosion of gas meters represents what appears to be an ineradicable race trait. No amount of contradiction and no accumulation of proof that such an accident is an impossibility seems to reach the newsgatherers, who go on reporting the explosion of gas meters, doubtless because the firemen have a tradition that meters are explosive and give this explanation of every fire which they cannot otherwise account for.

For the reassurance of nervous people it gives us pleasure to say that no gas meter ever exploded since the world began, and until they are made on very different plans and contain gas of very different composition from that now used for illuminating purposes such an accident is no more likely to happen to them than to milk bottles or salt bags.

The domestic gas meter has a more or less well deserved reputation for habitual mendacity, though as likely to lie against the gas company as for it; but it has never done anything to warrant the suspicion that it is liable to go off with a bang. It is a tin box of a little less than one cubic foot capacity, put together with soldered seams and japanned.

Into and through it passes the gas, which enters through the service pipe connecting the main with the house, usually of half an inch diameter. It has very little capacity for gas storage, and is not strong enough to carry gas under a greater compression than, say, half a pound per square inch. More than this would bulge its sides. In point of fact the pressure of gas in meters is rarely more than enough to balance a column of water two or three inches high.

If a gas meter is exposed to great heat from external fire, nothing very serious happens. The soldered seams will probably melt, allowing the gas to escape. This gas is not explosive, however. It becomes so only when mixed with air in certain definite proportions.

Should this admixture exist in a meter, which is almost impossible, its shell is not strong enough to offer any great resistance, and should an explosion occur by reason of fire reaching this admixture of gas and air the meter would be wrecked, but it is doubtful of any other damage would result. None has been wrecked from this cause.

If the seams of the meter are opened by the melting of the solder or by fracture from accident, the gas within it would escape, and, if it had the chance, burn. Outside the meter it might have opportunity to form the explosive mixture with air and do some damage.

What actually happens in the case of fires attributed to the explosion of gas meters is usually this: Gas which has leaked from defective pipes or worked into the cellar from broken or defective street mains accumulates in pockets formed by rafters and elsewhere and remains there until it comes in contact with an accidental fire of some sort. A fire starts in the cellar and the temperature gradually rises until the smoldering rubbish bursts into flame. This reaches the mixture of gas and air along the ceiling and an explosion follows.

The meter, naturally enough, is thrown down and probably torn from its connections, and the conclusion is reached that, instead of being the victim of the accident, the inoffensive meter is the cause of all the trouble and has indulged its inherent propensity to set the house afire after lifting it from its foundations.

It is a perfectly safe generalization that the gas which makes trouble in cellars is wholly outside the meter and never inside of it. Grindstones sometimes explode with fatal results in saw factories, but the excellent old lady who, after reading of such an accident and recalling that there was an old grindstone in one corner of the cellar which had been there twenty years, hired a couple of tramps to carry it to the extreme corner of the garden and pour water on it for an hour, meanwhile giving thanks that it had not blown herself and family into eternity "unbeknownst to any of us," was of the type of those who, through fear of gas meter explosions, are all their lifetime subject to nervous chills.

There is not a gas meter in use under which it would not be perfectly safe to build a bonfire, provided, of course, there was not a quantity of gas outside of it which the same fire could reach.—New York Times.

Why Snow Is Not Black or Red.

Why is the snow white? is a question frequently asked. Because black snow would be dangerous; so would red or yellow. These are "warming up colors," and they change the sun's rays to heat. Such snow would soon melt again and prove a very poor protection. But white snow throws back the sunlight in just the form in which it receives it, and thus the snow can be long on the ground. Throw dirt on the snow and its dark color quickly makes it eat its way in whenever the sun shines on it. After a snowstorm, once let the horses' feet mingle the dirt of the road with the snow and sleighing will soon be over.—Professor S. C. Schmucker in Ladies' Home Journal.

To be sure, faint heart never won fair lady, but, on the other hand, discretion is seldom sued for breach of promise.—Indianapolis News.

THE MAJOR'S VENGEANCE.

McKinley and the Reporter Who Persistently Assailed Him.

During one of his congressional campaigns Major McKinley was followed from place to place by a reporter for a paper of opposite political faith, who is described as being one of those "shrewd, persistent fellows who are always at work, quick to see an opportunity and skilled in making the most of it." While Mr. McKinley was annoyed by the misrepresentation to which he was almost daily subjected, he could not help admiring the skill and persistency with which he was assailed. His admiration, too, was not unmixed with compassion, for the reporter was ill, poorly clad and had an annoying cough. One night Mr. McKinley took a closed carriage for a nearby town at which he was announced to speak. The weather was wretchedly raw and cold, and what followed is thus described:

He had not gone far when he heard that cough and knew that the reporter was riding with the driver on the exposed seat. The major called to the driver to stop and alighted. "Get down off that seat, young man," he said. The reporter obeyed, thinking the time for the major's vengeance had come. "Here," said Mr. McKinley, taking off his overcoat, "you put on this overcoat and get into that carriage."

"But, Major McKinley," said the reporter, "I guess you don't know who I am. I have been with you the whole campaign, giving it to you every time you spoke, and I am going over tonight to rip you to pieces if I can."

"I know," said Mr. McKinley, "but you put on this coat and get inside and get warm so that you can do a good job."—Chautauquan.

THE MAGIC NUMBER.

A Suggestion by the Cynic That Set the Others Thinking.

"I often hear of the magic number," said some one. "What number is it?"

"Why, nine, of course," replied some one else. "There are nine muses, you know, and you talk of a nine days' wonder. Then you bowl at ninepins, and a cat has nine lives."

"Nonsense!" broke in another. "Seven is the magic number. Seventh heaven, don't you know, and all that; seven colors in the rainbow, seven days in the week, seventh son of a seventh son—great fellow—and"—

"Tush, tush!" remarked a third. "Five's the number you mean. A man has five fingers on his hand and five toes on his foot, and he has five senses, and"—

"Three is undoubtedly the magic number," interrupted another, "because people give three cheers, and Jonah was inside a whale three days and three nights, and if at first you don't succeed, try, try again—three times, you see!"

This was received with some contempt by the company, and a soulful youth gushed out:

"Two, oh, two is the magic number—oneself and one other, the adored one—just two!"

A hard featured individual, who had been listening to the conversation hitherto unmoved, here remarked in a harsh voice:

"The magic number is number one in this world, and if you want to succeed never forget it."

An interval of deep thought on the part of all followed, after which they went in silently to supper.—Pearson's.

No Word For Love.

In comparison with the English tongue foreign tongues seem parsimonious in some ways of expression and wasteful in others.

For instance, it is impossible to "kick" a man in French. You must give him a "blow with the foot." The Portuguese do not "wink" at one; they "close and open the eyes."

In the languages of the American Indians there is no word with which to convey the idea of "stealing," perhaps because the idea of property is so vague. It is related of one of the early missionaries that in attempting to translate the Bible into Algonquin he could find no word to express "love" and was compelled to invent it.

A Spelling Bee.

Some of you who think you are well up in spelling just try to spell the words in this little sentence:

"It is agreeable to witness the unparalleled ecstasy of two harassed peddlers endeavoring to gauge the symmetry of two peeled pears."

Read it over to your friends and see how many of them can spell every word correctly. The sentence contains many of the real puzzlers of the spelling book.—London Tit-Bits.

His Everyday Suit.

Dixon—I don't believe young Shortleigh is half as extravagant as people say he is.

Hixon—Perhaps not, but I've noticed that he has a suit of clothes for every day of the week.

Dixon—Is that so? Why, he has always had the same suit on every time I met him.

Hixon—Well, that's the one.

No Climbing.

"Ah, my friend," sighed old Skinflynt, who was dying, "I'm going a long, long journey."

"Never mind," replied the friend, who knew him. "It's all down hill."—Philadelphia Record.

A Wicked Insinuation.

Miss Sereleaf—Fashion seems to tend toward costumes of the last century.

Miss May Budd—How nice! Some people will be able to make over their old dresses.—Town and Country.

A hypocrite is like the letter p—the first in pity and the last in help.—Chicago News.

STORIES OF SINGERS

TIMES WHEN THEIR VOICES WERE OF MORE WORTH THAN MONEY.

Santley's Adventure With a Band of Mexican Bandits—Some Experiences of the Tenor Mario—How Lablache Put a Bear to Flight.

Many years since, when traveling with some friends in Mexico, Charles Santley was captured by halfbreed bandits and, being unable to pay the large ransom demanded, carried off to the mountains. Over supper the singer, by no means weighed down by his mishap, chanced to break into song, which so delighted the brigand chief that he demanded an encore.

Santley saw his chance and expressed his willingness to comply on condition that he and his companions were granted their release. The suggestion was accepted, and for over two hours was the singer's voice raised in such exquisite melody that the bandits, true to their word, allowed him and those with him to depart.

The late Joseph Maas had a somewhat similar experience. Years back, when with a companion buffalo hunting on the American prairies, he was captured by Indians and carried to their camp. When at his wits' end how to extricate himself from the dilemma, his friend suggested the power of song. Forthwith he commenced an operatic selection that so delighted his captors that they loosened his bonds and urged him, at the point of their spears, to continue.

Luckily his voice had a soporific effect upon the Indians, who one by one dropped asleep until, just as he was on the point of stopping from exhaustion, the last passed into the realms of dreams. Then he and his companion quietly stole away.

His wonderful voice on one occasion placed the great tenor Mario in a somewhat invidious position. When traveling with some companions in Spain, he fell into the hands of a party of marauding gypsies, who demanded the customary ransom. Mario, tickled at the situation, answered their request in impromptu song, which he delivered with such exquisite mock dignity that his captors with unanimous acclamation elected him captain of their band. The singer diplomatically acquiesced in their decision, but in the course of the following day contrived to make his escape with his friends.

On another occasion in Madrid the same singer, as he was returning late one night from the theater where he was engaged, was arrested by the police in mistake for a political discontent. In vain he asserted his identity. He was carried before their chief, who likewise smiled incredulously at the captive's asseverations.

Greatly angered, Mario vehemently demanded that his friends should be forthwith communicated with, but the official shook his head and remarked that if indeed he were the great tenor he possessed in his voice a sure means of proving the truth of his words. Ten minutes later Mario was bowed out with many regrets and profuse apologies.

When traveling to Paris with some other ladies, Mme. Grisi had a thrilling adventure. At a small wayside station a man entered the carriage, and it soon became evident from his threatening gestures and eccentric behavior that he was a dangerous lunatic.

Though her companions were panic stricken, Mme. Grisi retained complete presence of mind and with the utmost composure began to sing. At once the maniac was quiet; his whole attention was riveted on that magnificent voice, and he remained the most appreciative of listeners until the train reached the next station, where he was secured. It transpired subsequently that he was a maniac with homicidal tendencies who had escaped from an asylum.

An amusing story is told of Lablache, the celebrated bass singer. One day as he was strolling leisurely through a French fair a cry was suddenly raised that a bear had escaped from the menagerie. The crowd fled in every direction—all save the singer, whose massive proportions precluded the idea of rapid motion. Amid the general commotion he among them all stood unmoved, calmly awaiting the advent of the ferocious beast, which sure enough came slouching rapidly toward him. When within a few feet, it halted as though to gather itself together for a final rush, when Lablache stepped forward and from the lowest depths of his immense chest sent forth such a thunderous roar that the terrified animal turned and fled.

When Will a Man Be Too Rich?

What will eventually be the limit of individual wealth? Half a century back "ten thousand a year" was considered to be a vast fortune. Then "fifty thousand a year" was the phrase commonly used to describe the income of fabulously rich men or women. Later we took to speaking of "millionaires." In quite recent times the "multimillionaire" with twenty millions had reached the limit of private wealth; then forty millions. Now the limit has risen to a hundred millions, and already the word "billionaire" has come into use in the United States. Will the multibillionaire ever replace the multimillionaire?—London Standard.

The Birthplace.

No matter where a man was born, he swells up and claims to be proud of it. There is no way of knowing if the favored spot reciprocates the feeling.—San Francisco Bulletin.

Painful All Around.

Dumleigh—It was an awful trial for me to make that speech tonight.

Mildmay—Don't mention it, old boy; just think what the rest of us suffered.

"SHE BURNS GREEN."

The Discovery of Borax In Death Valley by Aaron Winters.

The greatest discovery of borax in the United States was made in the terribly hot region known as Death valley and in a most romantic way. The Chicago Record tells the story.

In 1880 Aaron Winters lived with his wife, Rosie, in a gulch known as Ash Meadows, not far from the mouth of Death valley. He was so fond of his wife that he would not allow her to be long absent from him, although their little hut on the side of the mountain was a hundred miles from the nearest neighbor, in a wild, rugged, forsaken country.

One day a desert tramp came along and spent the night at the Winters home. He told the hunter about the borax deposits of Nevada. When he went away, Winters thought that he had seen deposits of the same kind on his explorations into Death valley.

Accordingly he and his wife went together to make the search, having previously provided themselves with certain test chemicals, which when combined with borax and ignited would produce a green flame.

Having procured a piece of the substance which he believed to be borax, Winters and his wife waited for nightfall to make the test. How would it burn?

For years they had lived like Piutes on the desert, entirely without luxuries and often wanting for the very necessities of life. Would the match change all that?

Winters held the blaze to the substance with a trembling hand, then shouted at the top of his voice: "She burns green, Rosie! We're rich! We're rich!"

They had found borax. The mine was sold for $20,000, and Winters took his Rosie to a ranch in Nevada.

KITCHEN HELPS.

Use a pancake lifter to place cookies on the baking tin and to remove them.

To clarify fat after frying throw in a few slices of raw potato and simmer all for a few minutes.

Grease spots that have become hard and burned in on ranges may be removed by rubbing with a few drops of kerosene on a cloth.

Sometimes the fishy smell will cling to knives and forks after oily fish like salmon or mackerel has been served. Cut a lemon, rub them with it, and the disagreeable odor will vanish.

Sometimes a large roasting pan, being infrequently used, gets rusty. To prevent wash it well after using, dry it in the oven, then while warm rub it over with a greased cloth and hang it away.

Old newspapers save work in the kitchen. When you have any "messy" task on hand, like dressing a chicken, pickling over fruit, etc., lay a paper on the table, gather the litter up with it and burn all together. This saves scouring the table.

Why He Renewed His Youth.

"Why, Brother Dickey, I hardly knew you, you're looking so young and spry! What's up now?"

"Well, suh, I'ze studyin' 'bout gittin' married ergin, dat's all."

"Getting married?"

"Yes, suh. I made de 'quaintance er a young gal terday, en she 'lowed dat ef I'd shave off my gray whiskers, en chop off de hair what on my head, en stop limpin' wid de rheumatism, en wear cloze what come out de sto', en smoke se-gars stidder pipe, en stop preachin' 'gin dancin', en secure my life in her favor fer a hundred dollars she'd marry me. Dat how come I look so young!"—Atlanta Constitution.

Burns and Scalds.

In cases of burns or scalds, when the skin is unbroken, cover the burn with white lead paint, glycerin, fresh lard, linseed, olive, sweet or lard oil or soapsuds. If the skin is broken, pour a mixture of oil and limewater (either linseed, olive, sweet or lard oil) in equal parts over the injury. Then place a soft piece of white linen or muslin wet with the oil mixture on the wound. Then loosely wind a bandage over this, removing it from time to time to wet the linen with the oil mixture. Never attempt to uncover the injury.

The Finishing Touches.

A girl who had been very clever at college came home the other day and said to her mother:

"Mother, I've graduated, but now I must inform myself in psychology, philology, bibli"—

"Just wait a minute," said the mother. "I have arranged for you a thorough course in roastology, boilology, stitchology, darnology, patchology and general domesticology. Now, put on your apron and pluck that chicken."

Unfortunately.

They were driving together when Miss Rocks, unsolicited, gurgled forth her views upon matrimony. "Love is a dreary desert," she said, "and marriage an oasis," whereupon Mr. Shyly remarked that "certainly it did require a deal of sand."—Boston Traveler.

A Good Name.

Tess—Oh, yes, she married a man with a highly honored name.

Jess—What! I never considered Scadds a highly honored name.

Tess—Well, you should see the way it's honored at the bank.—Philadelphia Press.

A man should not lose his temper oftener than once in ten years, and a politician never.—Atchison Globe.

The first Sunday paper in this country was The Sunday Courier, begun at New York in 1825.

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Railroad Guide.

PENNSYLVANIA R. R. AND BRANCHES
Schedule in effect Nov. 24, 1901.

Via Tyrone—Westward.

Leave Bellefonte 9.53 a m, arrive at Tyrone 11.05 a m, at Altoona 1 p m, at Pittsburg 5.50 p m

Leave Bellefonte 1.05 p m, arrive at Tyrone 2.20 p m, at Altoona 3.10 p m, at Pittsburg 6.55 p m

Leave Bellefonte 4.44 p m, arrive at Tyrone 6.00 p m, at Altoona 6.50 p m, at Pittsburg 10 45 p m

Via Tyrone—Eastward.

Leave Bellefonte 9.53 a m, arrive at Tyrone 11.05, at Harrisburg 2.40 p m, at Philadelphia 5.47 p m

Leave Bellefonte 1.05 p m, arrive at Tyrone 2.20 p m, at Harrisburg 6.45 p m, at Philadelphia 10.20 p m

Leave Bellefonte 4.44 p m, arrive at Tyrone 6.00 p m, at Harrisburg 9.45 p m

Via Lock Haven—Westward.

Leave Bellefonte 1.05 p m, arrive at Lock Haven 2.10 p m, at Buffalo 7.40 p m

Leave Bellefonte 8.16 p m, arrive at Lock Haven 9.15 p m, arrive at Buffalo 7.35 a m

Via Lock Haven—Eastward.

Leave Bellefonte 9.32 a m, arrive at Lock Haven 10.30 a m, leave Williamsport 12.40 p m, arrive at Harrisburg 3.15 p m, at Philadelphia at 6.23 p m

Leave Bellefonte 1.05 p m, arrive at Lock Haven 2.10 p m, arrive at Williamsport 2.45 p m, leave 4.00 p m, arrive at Harrisburg 8.00 p m, Philadelphia 7.32 p m

Leave Bellefonte 8.16 p m, arrive at Lock Haven 9.15 p m, leave Williamsport 1.35 a m, arrive at Harrisburg 4.15 a m, arrive at Philadelphia 7.22 a m

Via Lewisburg.

Leave Bellefonte at 6.40 a m, arrive at Lewisburg at 9.05 a m, Montandon 9.15 a m, Harrisburg 11.30 a m, Philadelphia 3.17 p m.

Leave Bellefonte 2.15 p m, arrive at Lewisburg 4.42, at Harrisburg 6.50 p m, Philadelphia at 10.30 p m

For full information time tables, maps, fare, &c., call on Ticket Agents, or address Thos. E. Watt, Pass. Agent Western District, No. 360 Fifth Ave., Pittsburg.

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BALD EAGLE VALLEY—PENNSYLVANIA Railroad Division. Daily except Sunday. Schedule in effect on and after Nov. 24, 1901.

Westward.					Eastward.		
55	53	51			50	52	54
p m	p m	a m			a m	p m	p m
3 45	12 10	8 55	...	Lock Haven ...	10 30	2 10	9 15
3 51	12 16	9 01	...	Mill Hall ...	10 22	2 04	9 09
4 02	12 24	9 12	...	Beech Creek ...	10 11	1 54	8 58
4 06	12 29	9 15	...	Eagleville ...	10 08	1 51	8 55
4 14	12 38	9 24	...	Howard ...	9 59	1 43	8 46
4 20		9 30	...	Mount Eagle ...	9 53	1 38	8 40
4 25	12 48	9 34	...	Curtin ...	9 49	1 34	8 36
4 32	12 55	9 41	...	Milesburg ...	9 41	1 28	8 28
4 44	1 05	9 56	...	Bellefonte ...	9 32		8 16
4 53	1 14	10 01	...	Milesburg ...	9 18	1 24	8 08
4 56	1 22	10 04	...	Snow Shoe Int.	9 15	1 22	8 05
5 02	1 28	10 11	...	Unionville ...	9 07	1 15	7 57
5 12	1 36	10 20	...	Julian ...	8 58	1 08	7 48
5 21	1 41	10 28	...	Martha ...	8 49	1 01	7 39
5 28	1 50	10 35	...	Port Matilda ...	8 42	12 55	7 32
5 35	1 56	10 43	...	Hannah ...	8 35	12 49	7 25
5 40	2 00	10 45	...	Dix ...	8 30	12 45	7 20
5 46	2 06	10 51	...	Bald Eagle ...	8 24	12 39	7 14
5 50	2 10	11 55	...	Vail ...	8 20	12 35	7 10
5 54	2 14	11 59	...	East Tyrone ...	8 16	12 31	7 06
6 00	2 20	11 05	...	Tyrone ...	8 10	12 25	7 00
p m	p m	a m			a m	p m	p m

Nos. 50 and 55 will run daily.
Nos. 50 and 51 Sundays on week day schedules.

TYRONE AND CLEARFIELD RAILROAD
Time table in effect Nov. 24, 1901

NORTHWARD.					SOUTHWARD		
EXPRESS	DAY EXPRESS.	MAIL.	STATIONS.		EXPRESS.	DAY EXPRESS.	MAIL.
P M	P M	A M	Lv	Ar	P M	A M	P M
6 40	3 30	8 20	...	Tyrone ...	5 55	11 20	5 50
6 56	3 31	8 26	...	East Ty ...	5 49	11 14	5 44
6 58		8 28	...	Tyrone ...		11 12	5 42
7 01	3 35	8 31	...	Vail ...	5 45	11 09	5 39
7 11	3 46	8 42	...	Vanscoyoc ...	5 38	11 02	5 32
7 15	3 50	8 47	...	Gardner ...	5 35	10 59	5 29
7 24	3 59	8 57	...	Mt. Pleasant ...	5 27	10 51	5 21
7 30	4 06	9 05	...	Summit ...	5 20	10 44	5 14
7 34	4 10	9 09	...	Sandy Ridge ...	5 14	10 38	5 10
7 36	4 12	9 11	...	Retort ...	5 11	10 35	5 07
7 38	4 14	9 12	...	Powelton ...	5 09	10 33	5 05
7 48	4 24	9 21	...	Osceola ...	5 00	10 23	4 57
			...	Osceola Junct ...	5 00	10 20	4 52
7 54	4 28	9 26	...	Boynton ...	4 54	10 17	4 49
7 58	4 30	9 31	...	Steiners ...	4 50	10 13	4 45
8 02	4 35	9 40	...	Phillipsburg ...	4 48	10 12	4 40
8 06	4 45	9 45	...	Graham ...	4 42	10 07	4 35
8 11	4 50	9 50	...	Blue Ball ...	4 37	10 02	4 30
8 17	4 46	9 56	...	Wallaceton ...	4 32	9 56	4 24
8 22	5 02	10 02	...	Bigler ...	4 26	9 50	4 17
8 28	5 08	10 08	...	Woodland ...	4 20	9 43	4 10
8 30	5 10	10 11	...	Mineral Spri'gs	4 17	9 40	4 06
8 34	5 14	10 15	...	Barrett ...	4 13	9 36	4 01
8 38	5 18	10 20	...	Leonard ...	4 09	9 32	3 56
8 45	5 25	10 26	...	Clearfield ...	4 03	9 28	3 50
8 50	5 32	10 32	...	Riverview ...	3 55	9 21	3 40
8 56	5 38	10 39	...	Susque. Bridge	3 49	9 15	3 34
9 00	5 55	10 44	...	Curwensville ...	3 45	9 10	3 30
	6 01	10 50	...	Rustic ...	3 40		3 15
	6 09	10 58	...	Stronach ...	3 34		3 09
	6 15	11 04	...	Grampian ...	3 30		3 05
M	P M	P M	Ar	Lv	P M	A M	P M

SNOW SHOE BRANCH—DAILY EXCEPT Sunday—In effect Nov. 24, 1901.

a m		STATIONS.		p m
11 26	7 27	Arrive Snow Shoe Leave	7 30	3 15
10 00	6 05	Snow Shoe Intersection	9 15	4 56
10 01	5 55	Milesburg	9 18	5 05
9 53	5 45	Leave Bellefonte Arrive	9 32	5 20

—The REPUBLICAN and New York Weekly Tribune one year for $1.25.

LEWISBURG AND TYRONE RAILROAD
In effect Nov. 24, 1901.

Westward.				Eastward	
p m	a m			a m	p m
1 35	5 40	...	Montandon ...	9 15	4 50
1 45	6 35	...	Lewisburg ...	9 05	4 42
1 57	6 47	...	Vicksburg ...	8 53	4 31
2 05	6 55	...	Mifflinburg ...	8 45	4 24
2 16	7 07	...	Millmont ...	8 33	4 13
2 23	7 13	...	Glen Iron ...	8 26	4 08
2 51	7 40	...	Paddy Mountain ...	8 00	3 43
3 02	7 50	...	Coburn ...	7 50	3 32
3 08	7 57	...	Zerby ...	7 43	3 25
3 17	8 05	...	Rising Spring ...	7 35	3 17
3 23	8 11	...	Penns Cave ...	7 28	3 10
3 30	8 18	...	Centre Hall ...	7 22	3 02
3 35	8 24	...	Gregg ...	7 17	2 55
3 42	8 31	...	Linden Hall ...	7 10	2 48
3 46	8 55	...	Oak Hall ...	7 06	2 43
3 50	8 39	...	Lemont ...	7 02	2 38
3 54	8 43	...	Dale Summit ...	6 57	2 34
4 03	8 52	...	Pleasant Gap ...	6 48	2 24
4 06	8 55	...	Axemann ...	6 45	2 21
4 10	9 00	...	Bellefonte ...	6 40	2 15

BELLEFONTE CENTRAL RAILROAD—On and after Monday, April 3rd, 1899, trains will run as follows, leaving the P. R. R. station.

WESTWARD.				EASTWARD.		
College	Exp.			Mail.	Exp.	Ac
Accm.				*2	*4	6*
1*	*5	*3				
a m	p m	a m	Lv	Ar	a m	p m	p m
6 50	4 15	10 30	Bellefonte	8 50	2 40	6 4
6 35	4 21	10 37	Coleville	8 40	225	6 3
f638	f4 25	f10 42	Morris	f 837	f2 22	f6 27
f643	f4 28	f10 47	Whitmer	f8 35	f2 17	f6 23
f646	f4 33	f10 53	Hunters	f8 31	f2 10	f6 21
f650	f4 36	f10 56	Fillmore	f8 28	f2 06	f6 18
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f731	f5 10		Bloomsdor	f7 40		f5 30
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CENTRAL RAILROAD OF PENNSYLVANIA.
Condensed Time Table.

READ DOWN.			June 17, 1901.		READ UP		
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7 28	6 58	2 58	Zion		8 56	5 21	4 51
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7 35	7 05	3 05	Dunkles		8 49	5 14	4 44
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7 53	7 25	3 23	Clintondale		8 29	4 54	4 24
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8 02	7 34	3 32	Mackeyville		8 19	4 43	4 13
8 08	7 40	3 38	Cedar Springs		8 12	4 37	4 07
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*Daily. † Week Days, ‡ 6 00 p. m. Sunday ‡ 10 55 a. m. Sunday.

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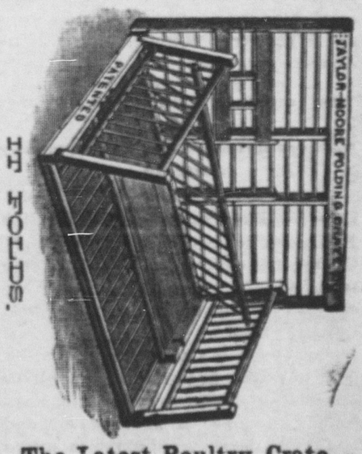
J. W GEPHART,
General Superintendent



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The Kind You Have Always Bought, and which has been in use for over 30 years has borne the signatnre of Chas. H. Fletcher and has been made under his personal supervision since its infancy. Allow no one to deceive you in this. All Counterfeits, Imitations and "Just-as-good" are but Experiments that trifle with and endanger the health of Infants and Children—Experience against Experiment.

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His Injuries Proved Fatal.

William Beckwith, the well known huckster, who for years has brought his products to Bellefonte and sold them to our people, and who, it will be remembered, was seriously injured while crossing the mountain near Flat Rock a few weeks ago, died at his home at Port Matilda on Sunday afternoon, the result of the injuries in question. The deceased was aged about 60 years, and was born and raised at Port Matilda. He was a very clever gentleman, and had many friends who deeply mourn his death. He is survived by his wife and two daughters, both of whom are married.

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Ross—Glenn.

Miss Etta Ross was married at her home in Lemont, Wednesday, December 4th, to George Glenn, a prosperous and well-to-do young man, of Lemont. The wedding was a quiet affair, there being only the immediate members of the family present.

KICK A DOG

Kick a dog and he bites you. He bites you and you kick him. The more you kick the more he bites and the more he bites the more you kick. Each makes the other worse.

A thin body makes thin blood. Thin blood makes a thin body. Each makes the other worse. If there is going to be a change the help must come from outside.

Scott's Emulsion is the right help. It breaks up such a combination. First it sets the stomach right. Then it enriches the blood. That strengthens the body and it begins to grow new flesh.

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Howe's Moving Pictures.

—The Moving Picture entertainment of Mr. Howe Saturday night at the Casino was greeted by a crowded house and was just as enjoyable as all the other entertainments given by that gentleman in Middletown for several years past. Everything was entirely new just as Mr. Howe had promised. We think that no other entertainer has given so many entertainments in the past in Middletown as has Mr. Howe and with such unvarying satisfaction to all who witness his pleasing pictures. He is always sure of a welcome in Middletown.—Middletown Daily Press.

This entertainment will be given in the opera house, Monday evening Dec 30 for the benefit of Gregg Post, No 95 G. A. R.

A Word to Careless Parents.

It has come to the knowledge of the Board of Health that there are several families in town having cases of scarlet fever in a mild form which are being treated without the aid of a doctor and without regard for the restrictions provided by the quarantine law for the protection of the community from the spread of contagious and infectious diseases. It is known that members of the afflicted families frequent public meetings, mingle with people in public places, and that children of the families are permitted to attend school at the same time enjoying the freedom of their respective homes.

It may not be in the authority of the Board of Health to compel these persons to employ the services of a physician but it is within the power of the Board to enforce the quarantine law and this they mean to do to the fullest extent. We, therefore, urge the parents of these families to use the utmost caution in the care of their afflicted children and regard with utmost prudence the prohibitions of the quarantine law. Parents owe it to their children to give them the best medical treatment when sick and especially with such a dangerous malady as scarlet fever. They owe it also to the community in which they live to use every precaution against an epidemic.

Used His Tongue too Freely.

William Jackson, colored, was convicted at Williamsport Monday of criminal libel for declaring that when, on September 6, news was received of the shooting of President McKinley, Joseph Hemmerle, an expressman, said that the president should have been shot long ago. Hemmerle brought suit against Jackson. The latter was sentenced to two months imprisonment and a fine of $25.00.

Plead Guilty of Murder.

Ray Chambers the colored man who shot and killed another colored man at Karthaus last June was arraigned before the Clearfield County court Tuesday morning and plead guilty to murder in the second degree. The shooting occurred in a dispute over a game of cards. The man threatened to kill Ray and Ray got the revolver and shot and killed him.

Struck By a Bridge

Ralph Watrous, of Corning, N. Y., a freight engineer on the Fall Brook road, was instantly killed Tuesday morning. He was leaning out of the engine cab, when his head struck the iron bridge at Blackwells. The fireman took the throttle and ran the train into the Newberry yard. The body of the dead engineer was taken off at Blackwells and sent to Corning.

STOLE FOR MANY YEARS

Teller Fitcham, of the First National Bank, Ballston, N. Y.

SAYS FAMILY WAS EXTRAVAGANT

Thus for Many Years His Expenditures Were in Excess off His Salary, Denies That He Was a Gambler in Stocks.

AT HOME UNDER STRONG GUARD

BALLSTON, N. Y., Dec. 5.—The First National bank of this place has been closed pending an investigation by a national bank examiner. It is stated that the closing of the bank's doors followed the discovery of irregularities in the accounts of the teller, Charles E. Fitcham.

The bank began business in 1865, and its present officers are . President, Judge J. S. Lamoreaux; vice president, Harvey J. Donaldson; cashier, Stephen C. Medbery; teller, Charles E. Fitcham. Judge Lamoreaux succeeded the late George West as president early in October of this year, at which time Mr. Donaldson succeeded to the vice presidency.

The new executive officers began at once a thorough investigation of the bank's affairs and discovered indications of a defalcation on the part of Teller Fitcham. Cashier Medbery discovered the fact that one regular depositor's account of many years' standing had been marked closed. Knowing this to be erroneous, the investigation was pursued until it was seen that the defalcation had begun many years ago and had attained large figures.

Bank Examiners E. J. Graham and Josiah Van Vranken were sent for and finally reported a shortage of $100,000. The directors at once held a meeting and decided to close the bank pending an investigation.

United States Commissioner Davison has issued a warrant for Fitcham's arrest.

Fitcham came from Boston as a bookkeeper for the late J. A. Hovey and took his place in the bank when Mr. Medbery was promoted to cashier. He has enjoyed the confidence and esteem of the bank officers and citizens generally. He was bonded by the United States Fidelity and Guarantee company to the amount of $10,000. He has a wife and one daughter. Last August Bank Examiner Van Vranken made his regular examination of the bank and found everything apparently all right.

A dispatch from Washington says that Examiner E. J. Graham has been appointed by the comptroller of currency temporary receiver pending a further investigation.

The bank officials still assert that the bank can re-open next week on a sound basis, admitting that their $116,000 surplus is wholly wiped out by Fitcham's embezzlement. When the doors closed Monday night and Examiner Graham took charge, the bank had to its credit in New York $214,000, in the Albany City bank, $22,000; cash on hand, gold, silver and bills, $100,000; negotiable securities, $50,000; loans and discounts said to be perfectly good, approximately, $400,000, making the assets $786,000, exclusive of $100,000 capital. The liabilities outstanding were $620,000

Fitcham's speculations are now known to have extended back twenty years. His individual deposit ledger balanced to a cent when he closed it Saturday noon.

Fitcham remains at home under a strong guard and was too ill to be seen this afternoon. He said the estimates of the bank's losses were exaggerated and that he had not taken more than half the sum mentioned. He said he was not a stock gambler, but that his trouble was due to family extravagance, his expenditures having been for many years in excess of his salary.

Catarrh Cannot be Cured

with LOCAL APPLICATIONS, as they cannot reach the seat of the disease. Catarrh is a blood or constitutional disease, and in order to cure it you must take internal remedies. Hall's Catarrh Cure is taken internally, and acts directly on the blood and mucous surfaces. Hall's Catarrh Cure is not a quack medicine. It was prescribed by one of the best physicians in this country for years, and is a regular prescription. It is composed of the best tonics known, combined with the best blood purifiers, acting directly on the mucous surfaces. The perfect combination of the two ingredients is what produces such wonderful results in curing catarrh. Send for testimonials free.

F. J. CHENEY & Co., Props., Toledo, O.
Sold by druggists, price 75c
Hall's Family Pills are the best.

For Aged Telegraphers.

NEW YORK, December 5.—Andrew Carnegie has under consideration the gift of a large sum of money, to be used for the benefit of the aged telegraphers in this section of the country, and it is said that he intends when satisfactory plans have been made to extend his charitable bequest so as to include the telegraphers in all parts of the land.

Food Changed to Poison.

Putrefying food in the intestines produces effects like those of arsenic, but Dr. King's New Life Pills expel the poisons from clogged bowels, gently, easily but surely, curing constipation, biliousness, sick headache, fevers, all liver, kidney and bowel troubles. Only 25c at F. Potts Green's drug store.

Will It Cure Me?

That's the personal question a woman asks herself when she reads of the cures of womanly diseases by the use of Dr. Pierce's Favorite Prescription.

Why shouldn't it cure her?

Is it a complicated case? Thousands of such cases have been cured by "Favorite Prescription." Is it a condition which local doctors have declared incurable? Among the hundreds of thousands of sick women cured by the use of Dr. Pierce's Favorite Prescription there are a great many who were pronounced incurable by local doctors. Wonders have been worked by "Favorite Prescription" in the cure of irregularity, weakening drains, inflammation, ulceration and female weakness. It always helps. It almost always cures.

"Three years ago," writes Mrs. John Graham, of 2018 Plumb Street, (Frankford) Philadelphia, Pa., "I had a very bad attack of dropsy which left me with heart trouble, and also a very weak back. At times I was so bad that I did not know what to do with myself. My children advised me to take your 'Favorite Prescription,' but I had been taking so much medicine from the doctor that I was discouraged with everything. I came to Philadelphia two years ago, and picking up one of your little books one day began to read what your medicine had done for others, I determined to try it myself. I took seven bottles, and to-day I am a strong, well woman, weighing 162 pounds. Have gained 29 pounds since I started to use 'Favorite Prescription.'"

Dr. Pierce's Pleasant Pellets clear the complexion and sweeten the breath.

A Man Who Crossed the Ocean in a Packing Case.

NEW YORK, Dec. 5.—The man discovered in the hold of the Hamburg steamer Palatia Monday, after having made the trip across the ocean in a box, had recovered sufficiently yesterday to be able to establish his identity. He said his name was John Beck and that he had lived up to a year ago in Budapest, Hungary

The doctors would not allow him to tell all his story, but enough was learned to show that Beck was a house painter and that he had come across the card of an up-town hotel in this city, the proprietors of which have German names. Though a stranger to them he wrote that he could get no work in Germany and was coming to America and hoped the hotel men could find him something to do.

Then he filled up a packing case, paid freight charges on it and engaged a carter to take it to the Hamburg pier at a certain time. He returned to his lodgings and boxed himself up after he had provisioned himself with a dozen cans of condensed milk, a box of prunes, three dozen cakes of chocolate, coffee in bottles and some bread.

The carter called and got the box, not knowing of its living contents, and shipped it. Beck declares he was in the box until the ship reached the Hoboken pier, about 15 days, when he was almost dead from hunger, cold and terror. Last night he was reported to be extremely weak, but the physicians hope for his recovery. Newton Bennington, the real estate owner and horseman, is said to have promised to give Beck work should he recover.

Saw Death Near.

"It often made my heart ache," writes L. C. Overstreet, of Elgin, Tenn. "to hear my wife cough until it seemed her weak and sore lungs would collapse. Good doctors said she was so far gone with consumption that no medicine or earthly help could save her, but a friend recommended Dr. King's New Discovery and persistent use of this excellent medicine saved her life." Its absolutely guaranteed for coughs, colds, bronchitis, Asthma and all throat and lung diseases. 50c and $1.00 at F. Potts Green's drug store. Trial bottles free.

Charity Begins at Home.

An exchange prints the following which is applicable in every community: "Don't ship a big box of clothing and provisions 1000 miles away, when there is a little boy freezing just around the corner. It is right to send help away, but take care of the destitute at your own doors before going further away. Don't hesitate about giving a Presbyterian coat or a Methodist pair pants to a Lutheran. Give the clothing to the needy, regardless of the faith of his parents or relatives and you will have done an act that is commendable in the eyes of the Almighty."

—George W. Morrison, of Fleming, has been placed on the pension rolls at $10 a month.

Pill-Price.

The days of 25 cents a box for pills are numbered. Dr. Agnew's Liver Pills at 10 cents a vial are surer, safer and pleasanter to take. Cure constipation, sick and nervous headaches, dizziness, lassitude, heartburn, dyspepsia, loss of appetite and all troubles arising from liver disorder. 25 ct. size contains 100 pills. —67

Sold by F. P. Green.

—Mr. Ben Brown, who lately graduated from the Bellefonte High School has accepted the general agency for the Baltimore Life Insurance company at this place. Ben is a good fellow and we wish him lots of success in his new business.

SPOKE BITTER WORDS.

Herr Bebel, the Socialist Leader in the German Reichstag.

TARIFFS ON GRAIN THE SUBJECT

He Said There Were Two Nations in the German State, the Plunderers and the Plundered—The Farmers Are the Latter.

EXCITING SCENES IN THE BODY

BERLIN, December 6.—The most insignificant looking man in the reichstag, Herr Bebel, broke the didactic monotony yesterday and lifted the tariff debate to emotional levels. Herr Bebel took the tribune after the peasant farmer, Herr Nissen, and as the representative of 2,800,000 voters he lodged the socialist protest against the "hunger duties," as he called the tariffs on grain. He spoke as always, with astonishing ease and rapidity of utterance. He said there were two nations in the German state, the plunderers and the plundered.

"The imperial chancellor, Count Von Buelow, spoke for the former; I am speaking for the latter. Fifteen per cent of the German people are engaged in agriculture. The chancellor said the remaining 85 per cent were engaged in other occupations, and that 72 per cent of these latter were industrialists. The proposition of the government was to lay a tax of between 600,000,000 and 700,000,000 marks on food in order to make more profitable the occupation of 15 per cent of the people. Only one-ninth of the grain is imported.

"Agriculture in Germany might be called prosperous. The reduction of farm mortgage foreclosures of recent years showed that agriculture was better off than previously and the value of lands has increased during the last century.

"This bill is intended, not for the betterment of the farm laborer, but for the betterment of the landlord. If any landlord is not getting on well now it is because of large hunting parties, gambling, well filled wine cellars, sons in crack cavalry regiments and the houses in Berlin."

At this point of Herr Bebel's speech, Graf Von Mardorff, one of the greatest land magnates, laughed jeeringly.

"Yes," continued Herr Bebel, "that is the way with you fellows. You lay taxes upon the poor and when it is proven to you that they are unnecessary you laugh. But the world's history rolls on over you regardlessly."

Later Graf Von Marim, another great leader, scornfully interrupted Herr Bebel while the latter was relating an incident of a Prussian school girl who wanted to go to heaven because there was no hunger there. Upon this occurrence the socialist members of the reichstag rushed in a body toward the conservative side of the chamber, shouting, "Order." Interruptions of all sorts were then made. Herr Bebel, inspired by the tempestuous temper of the house, exclaimed:

"This bill foments insurrection. The chancellor aims to overturn social order; we shall do our utmost to send this bill to hades, and we only regret we cannot send its authors and abbettors there also."

The reichstag adjourned.

Great Combine Completed in Pittsburg.

PITTSBURG, December 6.—The stockholders of the Philadelphia company met here Wednesday to conclude one of the largest deals in the history of the company as well as the financial world of Pittsburg, by which all but one traction line in Allegheny county-the West End company-will come under of the Philadelphia company. The stockholders also voted on increasing the capital stock of the company from $21,000,000 to $36,000,000 and the proposed bond issue from $6,500,000 to $22,000,000

When the meeting had adjourned it was announced that the several propositions were unanimously voted for and the traction, lighting and heating combine for Allegheny county was completed. The new regime will commence January 1 next. Of the 375,460 shares of the company 302,808 were voted. Separate meetings were held.

Coles For December.

Coles' Storms and Signs makes predictions for December as follows: "Many of the December days will be beautiful and full of enjoyment. Heavy wind gales will suddenly spring up and sweep over the country. Bright sunny days will be turned suddenly into winter days and vice versa. The regular storm period will occur between the 2nd and 6th, 20th and 29th; the reactionary storm period will occur between the 8th and 14th, 16th and 20th. The southern and western states will receive their share of destructive storms. Watch the many beautiful sunset scenes which will appear this month. There will be considerable increase of fevers, smallpox, etc., this month. Let those who are troubled with heart disease take good care of themselves and avoid overwork and exposure during the first few and last days of the month.

—The thermometer registered 2 degrees above zero this morning.

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Our brush should be used daily in place of the ordinary hair brush, hair washes, or hair growers. If you do not find, after six months' trial, that

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Partisan Prayers.

General Bal ington Booth, of the Volunteers of America, told a story at the annual meeting of his organization, of a Methodist prayer meeting held on the east side during the mayoralty campaign In the midst of a prayer, he said, one pious brother said:

"O Lord, we pray Thee that the Democratic party may hang together in the coming election."

"Amen! answer prayer, Lord," put in a Republican who was near.

"But I do not mean it as the Republican brother means it, Lord. I pray that we may hang together in concord and accord," continued the Democrat.

"Amen, Lord," again said the Republican. "Any 'cord so long as they hang."—New York Time

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For Infants and Children.

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Man's Heroism Shabbily Rewarded.

SCRANTON, December 6.—An imported motorman named John Powell jumped from his car Wednesday and tried to stop a runaway. He was knocked down and rendered unconscious and badly injured. Admiration for his heroism could not overcome the animosity of the people for the non-union car men and, as a consequence, the injured man was allowed to lie in a snow bank until another car came along five minutes later and picked him up. He was taken to the Scranton private hospital.

—The ice at Hecla Park is 4½ inches thick and the skating is reported as very fine.

Women as Well as Men Are Made Miserable by Kidney Trouble.

Kidney trouble preys upon the mind, discourages and lessens ambition; beauty, vigor and cheerfulness soon disappear when the kidneys are out of order or diseased.

Kidney trouble has become so prevalent that it is not uncommon for a child to be born afflicted with weak kidneys. If the child urinates too often, if the urine scalds the flesh or if, when the child reaches an age when it should be able to control the passage, it is yet afflicted with bed-wetting, depend upon it, the cause of the difficulty is kidney trouble, and the first step should be towards the treatment of these important organs. This unpleasant trouble is due to a diseased condition of the kidneys and bladder and not to a habit as most people suppose.

Women as well as men are made miserable with kidney and bladder trouble, and both need the same great remedy. The mild and the immediate effect of **Swamp-Root** is soon realized. It is sold by druggists, in fifty-cent and one dollar sizes. You may have a sample bottle by mail free, also pamphlet telling all about it, including many of the thousands of testimonial letters received from sufferers cured. In writing Dr. Kilmer & Co., Binghamton, N. Y., be sure and mention this paper.

Home of Swamp-Root.

The Bellefonte Republican

To CORRESPONDENTS.—No communication published unless accompanied by the real name of the writer.
Correspondents should write upon but one side of the paper and avoid the use of pale or fancy inks.

WILBUR F. HARRIS

Local Department.

—Santa Claus is packing his air ship.

—See Mingle's new "ad" in today's paper.

—Hard winter prophets are encouraged to say "I told you so."

—The scarcity of tomatoes will make catsup scarce in the market.

—The goosebone prediction is respectfully submitted to the ground hog.

—Samuel H. Glossner one of the leading business men of Eagleville is reported as seriously ill.

—Takes the burn out; heals the wound; cures the pain. Dr. Thomas' Eclectric Oil, the household remedy.

—The Sunday school of the Disciple church of Eagleville is making preparations for its Christmas entertainment.

—When doctors fail try Burdock Blood Bitters, cures dyspepsia, constipation; invigorates the whole system.

—Thomas Howley, who was formerly with Harper Brothers, has accepted the position of clerk in C. C. Shuey's grocery.

—Edward Gross, who has been seriously ill with appendicitis, is able to be out again. He had no operation performed.

—Samuel Jordan, of Moshannon, has been granted a pension of $17 a month and John H. Fish, of Philipsburg, one of $6 a month.

—The little folks love Dr. Wood's Norway Pine Syrup. Pleasant to take; perfectly harmless; positive cure for coughs, colds, bronchitis and asthma.

—The gates of the city opened wide Monday to the school teachers of Centre county. May their annual gathering be one of social enjoyment and educational profit.

—Rev. George F. Boggs, of Beech Creek, is conducting a series of revival meetings in the Methodist church at Hunter Run, half way between Eagleville and Howard.

—Scratch, scratch, scratch, unable to attend to business during the day or sleep during the night. Itching piles horrible plague. Doans' Ointment cures. Never fails. At any Drug Store 50 cents.

—A conference of the public school teachers of Central Pennsylvania will be held in the High school building at Altoona, January 24 and 25. State Supt. Schaeffer and others will speak.

—Miss Lulu Rine, daughter of James H. Rine, of this place, has been elected teacher of the Walker township school at Hecla Park. She is a graduate of the Bellefonte High school "Class of 1901."

—Rev. George Israel Brown, rector of the St. John's Episcopal church, will speak in the Salvation Army Hall this evening. Meeting will open at 8 o'clock. All are invited and all are welcome.

—The following Centre county veterans of the Civil war have been granted pensions: Samuel Guisewhite, Bellefonte, $8 a month; Simon Bathurst, Roland, $6 a month, and George W. Baisor, Waddle, $8 a month.

—Have you seen the Racket store's handsomely decorated holiday window? It is the work of Homer Barnes who, as a window designer, is certainly a dandy and one who understands his business thoroughly. Have a look at it.

—J. D. Ganoe, of Smith Mills, Clearfield county, is a veteran of the Civil war. Dangling from his watch chain is a bullet which entered his chin, went through his neck and was extracted from his shoulder 24 hours after the battle of Fredericksburg, 39 years ago.

—Mr. Ernest Gambel the well known baritone is to appear in concert in the Presbyterian Church on the evening of Christmas day assisted by a violinist and pianist. Mr. Gambel was very favorably received the first time he sang here and no one who wishes to hear a fine concert can afford to miss this event.

—Prof. J. Angel, the Eye Specialist, will be at the Garman House Thursday, Dec. 19. If your eyes need attention call on the Professor. Invalids and those who cannot leave their homes can have their eyes examined at home without extra charge by sending a postal card addressed to him at the Garman House.

—Gorton's famous minstrels will be the attraction at the opera house this evening. The music of the bones and tambourines will awaken in the minds of many old theatre goers the memories of the early days of minstrelsy, when crowds flocked to see the "Plantation Singers" and returned home to talk of what they had seen, until the recollections had been blotted out by the wonders of succeeding shows.

—The deer season closed on Saturday and pretty near everybody that could tell one end of a gun from the other was out. This has been rarely successful season, careful estimates placing the total number shot on this mountain at 60. Of these at least 35 were shot in this immediate vicinity. The little village of Sandy Ridge boasts some mighty followers of the chase, ten deer having been brought in there. Quite a few large bucks were among the slain.—Philipsburg Ledger.

DEATH ANGEL AT WORK.

Aged David Baney Drops Dead on the Street—A Husband Loses a Devoted Wife,

It is the sad duty of this paper to-day to chronicle the death of two residents of this community. The first we will mention is the sudden death of David Baney which occurred Saturday morning about quarter of 11 o'clock. Mr. Baney was apparently in his usual health this morning when he left the home of his son, Frank, to go down to get shaved. He went to the barber shop of his nephew, Edward Baney on West Bishop street and after being shaved started to return home but when he reached the centre of the crossing over Bishop street from Ed Brown's store to Aikens corner he was seen to suddenly reel and fall heavily to the ground. Kind hands picked him up and carried him tenderly into the barber shop which he had just left and Dr. Locke was sent for. The doctor examined him and found that he had died from heart disease.

His remains were taken to the home of his son, Frank on East High street.

Deceased was born in Lycoming county and was about 80 years of age. He has been a resident of this town for many years. For a long time he was employed by the Mann's at their axe factory at Axe Mann and often drove team over the mountain to Lewistown. He was married twice both wives have long since died, He is survived by one brother Eli Baney, of Bush Addition, and three sons, namely, Frank, of Bellefonte, and Harry and William, of Butler, Pa.

The funeral took place Tuesday afternoon at 3 o'clock. Rev. Ambrose Schmidt of Reformed church officiating. Interment in Union cemetery.

MRS. ANNA SWARTZ STEVENSON.

Anna, wife of Harry Stevenson, of East High St., died Saturday morning at 5:30 o'clock of quinsy. She had been ill since last Tuesday. She was born at Hublersburg, this county, and was the daughter, of Christ and Susan Swartz, of this place. She was aged 31 years the 7th of last May.

She leaves a husband and three children, Vernice B., Mary M., and a baby born last Thursday night. She also leaves one brother Lincoln E. Swartz, of Hublersburg.

The funeral took place Tuesday afternoon at 1.30 o'clock. Rev. W. P. Shriner of the Methodist church officiating.

One Of The Best.

At the Opera House Tuesday night a large audience thoroughly enjoyed the farce comedy "Don't Tell My Wife" presented by Mr. Arthur Deming and his company of footlight favorites. The play abounds in comical situations which the audience appreciated by frequent and hearty applause. Mr. Deming was at his best and his repeated recalls in his speciality work was convincing evidence of his superior talent and popularity with the Bellefonte theatre goers. The speciality features by Miss Margaret Burham, Miss Earl Remington, Mr. Lynch and Mr. Mack were never excelled on a Bellefonte stage. From start to finish the entainment was most enjoyable and easily ranked with the best ever presented on our local stage.

A Very Pretty Wedding.

Tuesday evening at half-past seven o'clock, at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Richard Gunsallus, near the Glass works, their daughter, Miss Bertha Gunsallus, was united in marriage to Mr. Collins Pemberton. It was a very quiet affair only the near friends and relatives of the young couple being present.

Miss Iva Rishel acted as bridesmaid and Mr. Herbert McCoy as best man. The ceremony was performed by Rev. Wilford P. Shriner, D. D., of the Methodist church. After the words were said that made these young people husband and wife an excellent wedding dinner was served. Many beautiful and valuable presents were received by the bride.

UNCLAIMED LETTER LIST.

The following letters remain in the Bellefonte Post Office uncalled for Dec. 9th 1901.

Miss P. Adams, Mrs. Sara Andrews, W. T. Ellis, Jno. Karman, Mr. and Mrs. Murry, H. H. Simmons, Prudence Swartz, Mrs. Sade Williams.

When called for please say advertised.

W. W. MONTGOMERY, P. M.

—Richard Thompson, son of Mr. and Mrs. B. F. Thompson, of Beech Creek, was instantly killed at the Westinghouse Electric works near Pittsburg, where he was employed, Tuesday evening. The particulars of the sad accident are not obtainable, The body of the unfortunate young man, who was but 22 years of age, reached his parents' home Wednesday night. The funeral will take place Friday morning at 11 o'clock, Rev. J. T. Scott, of the Presbyterian church, officiating, Interment in the cemetery at Jacksonville. Guy Thompson, foreman of the Howard Creamery in this place, is a brother of the deceased.

—Charles Haines, son of school director David Haines, and Miss Maize Keeler, daughter of Wallace Keeler, were united in marriage Tuesday evening at 8 o'clock by the Rev. W. H. Brown, pastor of the Evangelical church. The ceremony occurred in the parlor of the pastors home. The young couple have gone to house keeping on West Logan St.

Real Estate Transfers.

The following real estate transfers were recorded during the past week by Recorder N. E. Robb:

Joanna C. Musser at al. to C. Alexander, Nov. 4, 1900, tract of land in Penn twp. Consideration $40.

Mary A. Deninger et al. to E. D. Keen, Aug. 8, 1901, 2 lots in Millheim borough. Consideration $1,250.

H. B. Herring to C. Alexander, Oct 17, 1901, 80 acres 63 perches in Penn and Miles twps. Consideration $80.

Ralph E. Stover et ux. to Wm. R. Stover, March 2, 1901, 2 tracts of land in Haines twp. Consideration $683 36.

A. R. Alexander et al. to C. Alexander, Nov. 9, 1901, 139 acres 45 perches in Penn twp. Consideration $100.

Sarah Duck et baron to Alvin L. Duck, Dec. 2, 1901, 17 acres 102 perches in Potter twp. Consideration $5 000.

Almon L Duck to Michael B. Duck, Dec. 7, 1901, 179 acres 102 perches in Potter twp. Consideration $5,000.

F. M. Ream et ux. to Samuel F. Hesse, Nov. 30, 1901, 2 tracts in Gregg twp. Consideration $500.

James Roberts to Louis J. Hitz, March 29, 1900, 300 acres in Taylor twp. Consideration $1.00

S. Annie Cryan et baron to Thomas B. Potter, Sept 23, 1901, 1 tract in Philipsburg. Consideration $3,500

James M. Lucas, guardian to Clara M. Shope, Dec. 4, 1901, 53 acres 146 perches in Boggs twp. Consideration $1,000.

Catherine F. McElwain to Hannah M. Lucas, Dec. 5, 1901, lot of land in Boggs twp. Consideration $650.

Gilbert Ellen et ux. et al. to George M. Glenn, Sept. 23, 1901, 1 tract in Potter twp. Consideration $300.

Margaret Motter et baron to John Brilla et al., Nov. 15, 1901, land in Rush twp. Consideration $650.

Richard H. Downing et ux. to Kelly Bros., Nov. 4, 1901, 78 acres 19 perches in Snow Shoe twp. Consideration $700.

Charles Lucas et al. to Harriet Zimmerman, Dec. 6, 1899, 2 lots in Milesburg. Consideration $700.

Takes His Time.

The man who aims to attain a "ripe old age" never hurries or worries. He leaves his cares in the shop, the office or field, when his day's work is done, and goes home to rest. At night he sleeps soundly. He laughs at petty annoyances and neither borrows or lends trouble. He is not an extremist in any sense. He is optimistic and avoids the way of the churl. He does not indulge in anything that he finds to his injury. He avoids over-work and over-indulgence in any bad habit. He is a conservative person.

—Isaac George one of the wealthies and best known farmers in Unity township, Westmoreland county, while cleaning a rifle preparatory to shooting some hogs for butchering, on Saturday morning, accidentally shot his son Daniel, who is now lying at the point of death, with scarcely any chances of his recovery. He did not know the gun was loaded and was picking at the pivot when the gun was discharged the ball passing through the partition of the room and entering the stomach of his son, who was in an adjoining room.

—It is reported that the express companies are planning to follow the lead of the railroads in abolishing passes by abandoning the practice of years' standing of sending out "franks" to railroad officers, agents, shippers and city, state and national officials. The telegraph companies are also said to be preparing to join in the anti-pass crusade.

—State Entomologist Smith says that the plague of caterpillars will not be repeated next year. He has discovered that a small parasite has been killing off all cocoons in which the caterpillars wrap themselves during the winter months. The parasite is a strange looking insect resembling a fly.

—Through the efforts of Rev. Father McArdle a free reading room has been fitted up in the Parish hall. The room is open to everyone, every week-day evening from 7 to 10:30. Books, periodicals and daily papers are provided for those who wish to avail themselves of the priveleges of the room.

—An addition is being built to the Danville Insane Asylum, an improvement that was authorized and provided for by the last Legislature. Even with the erection of this addition the accommodation will not be nearly sufficient for the large number of patients.

—Alfred F. Bitner and Miss Frances S. Bitner, both prominent young people of Blanchard, Pa., were united in marriage Tuesday afternoon at the parsonage of the First Methodist church of Tyrone, Rev. John A. Wood, Jr., officiating.

—A trio of Lewistown youths, Percy Hunchbarger, William Chester and Martin Cargill, all under seventeen years of age, have been arrested for alleged horse stealing at McVeytown.

—The Bowen Merril Co., of Indianapolis, Ind., has just issued a book of poems by Edward A. U. Valentine, formerly of Bellefonte, entitled "The Ship of Silence and other Poems"

Marriage Licenses.

The following marriage licenses were issued during the past week by Register A. G. Archey:

Lee Signer and Ida E. Williams, both of Boalsburg.

Orvis M. Fetzer, of Yarnell, and Annie Lucas, of Milesburg.

Thaddeus M. Myers and Minnie May Corcelious, both of Philipsburg.

Charley Olson and Mary Houston, both of Snow Shoe.

W. J. Hunter, of Beech Creek, and Edith Young, of Romola.

John L. Wolf and Carrie I. Stover, both of Livonia.

Hiram D. Blowers, of Rush township, and Mammie Nelson, of Winburne.

Ellis W. Wighman, of Tyrone, and Charlotte S. McMonigal, of Taylor twp.

Alfred F. Bitner and Frances S. Bitner, both of Blanchard.

J. M. Adair, of Indiana, Pa., and Sue F. Campbell, of Penna Furnace.

The Judge and the "Hotel."

From the Clearfield Republican.

Judge Gordon had occasion to visit one of our hotels to answer a telephone the other day and the management almost had a fit. When the court entered crap games and hilarity galore were in full blast, it being payday down along the railroad. The coons and others were having everything their own way and the long green was pouring over the bar in exchange for liquor coming the other way. It required the most strenuous efforts of all the attaches of the house to keep the "guests" quiet until his honor answered the call and left the premises. Next time the court should send word that he is coming and not cause so much confusion.

Preparation for Death.

A Western Kansas editor published this notice the other day for the guidance of delinquent subscribers: "If you have frequent headaches, dizziness, fainting spells, accompanied by chills, cramps, corns, bunions, chilblains, epilepsy and jaundice it is a sign you are not well, but are liable to die any minute. Pay your subscription a year in advance, and thus you make yourself solid for a good obituary notice.

—Women on the whole, at least good women, have higher ideals, nobler aspirations, more perfect purity, than men, and it is this in them which is likely to attract and charm a true heart. A true man seems to himself in loving a true woman to be more near to the realization of a wonderful world of beauty, purity, self-sacrifice and constancy. Then there is that in woman which makes her love strength greater than her own, which makes her desirous to have some heart on which to lean, and some mind which may serve to guide. A man forgets himself in the adoration of an ideal, and a woman finds rest in a strength greater than her own. On the innocence, purity, simple-mindedness, retiringness and patient self-sacrifice of woman depend to a very large extent the goodness and usefulness of men.

—Mary Fulmer, aged 13 years, a resident of Williamsport, undertook to shorten distant while on an errand Saturday evening by crawling under a freight train which began to move just as she got fairly under. Without becoming confused she quickly threw herself flat on the ground between the rails and remained still until twenty-five cars passed over her, a dozen spectators seeing her remarkable nerve and calling encouragement to her. In spite of painful blows by projecting brake beams she did not move. Her right hand was crushed and lacerated so that it will be necessary to amputate the fore finger. Her left hip was dislocated and she was badly bruised.

—W. L. Pascoe, Esq., at court in Hollidaysburg, Thursday, made the opening address on behalf of the plaintiff in a damage suit for $30,000 against the city of Altoona, brought by James Glasgow of Antes township, who claims that amount for injuries done to his farm by reason of a flow of sewage from the city. The case is one of much interest to the city of Altoona, Mr. Glasgow and the people generally of the community adjoining Altoona on the east.

—The William McKinley National Memorial Arch Association has determined to change its plan of operations so as to appeal to Congress instead of to the public for the erection of the proposed McKinley memorial at Washington.

—Over 300 delegates representing the Knights of the Golden Eagle castles of Pennsylvania, convened at Reading, Monday night in special state convention to consider the finances of the order.

—The generous use of cinnamon is said to ward off the grippe. This is a very simple expedient and very easily tried, and will do no harm if it does'nt do any good.

—The Philipsburg Fire Brick Works is building quite an addition to their already large wareroom, which is a pretty good evidence that the business outlook is encouraging.

—Frank C. Wrigley, of Clearfield, has been appointed Mercantile Appraiser of Clearfield county for the ensuing year.

PERSONAL PENCILINGS.

Miss Emma Aikens has returned from a visit to friends in Tyrone.

Donald S. Potter was a Jersey Shore visitor last week.

Warner Barr, of Pittsburg, spent Sunday with friends in this place.

Charles L. Shearer, of Millheim, spent Saturday at Mill Hall.

Mr. Jno. M. Dale, is transacting business in Philadelphia.

John T. Harris, of Philipsburg was a Sunday visitor in Bellefonte.

Samuel D. Gettig Esq., transacted legal business in Tyrone Saturday.

Miss S. Ohnmacht has returned home from a business visit to Philipsburg.

Col. J. L. Spangler registered at the Park Hotel, Williamsport Saturday.

Mr. Jas. Keller, of Centre Hall, transacted business in Bellefonte Thursday.

Dr. W. U. Irwin, of Julian, the county coroner, was a Bellefonte visitor Tuesday.

Mr. John P. Gronberg, of Jamestown, N. Y., was a guest Friday at the Bush House.

Mr. and Mrs. E. R. Chambers returned home on Saturday evening from Pittsburg.

James M. Clark, of this place, spent Sunday at his parents home at Beech Creek.

Edward I. Gillen, formerly of this place, but now of Clearfield, was in town Thursday.

Rev. J. H. Morrison, of Sunbury, was a guest on Wednesday of Mr. Merty, of this place.

Miss Josephine Kunes, assistant postmistress at Blanchard, is visiting friends at Mill Hall.

George P. Gilbert, of Bellefonte, was an Altoona visitor Friday says the *Tribune* of that place.

Mrs. Bonbright departed Tuesday morning for Philadelphia to be absent for the balance of this week.

Mrs. A. O. Furst, and daughter, Miss Jennie, left Tuesday afternoon for Philadelphia on a shopping trip.

Rev. Father Gormley, of Renovo, was a guest on Wednesday of Rev. Father McArdle on Bishop street.

F. H. Clemson, of Scotia and James M. Watt, of Tyrone, were well known business visitors in town Friday.

Mrs. W. Homer Crissman and two sons, Frank and Luther, are visiting relatives and friends in Sunbury.

Hon. A. O. Furst left for Warren, Pa., Saturday night where he will spend the next two weeks transacting legal business.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank McCoy Shugert and Mrs. Wilmer Love Malin went to Philadelphia Tuesday morning for Xmas shopping.

Mr. Frank Bassett, of Sparrow Point, Md., spent Wednesday in Bellefonte as the guest of his father-in-law, Rev. James P. Hughes.

Miss Laura Stover, of Potter's Mills, is a guest at the home of her aunt and uncle, Mr. and Mrs. Fall Stover, on North Water street.

Mr. and Mrs. Murray Andrews and Mrs. Andrews maid, Miss Lulu Pacini, returned home on Saturday evening from there European trip.

Miss Margaret Sechler, a nurse in the Johns Hopkins hospital at Baltimore, is visiting her parents Mr. and Mrs. H. Sechler on East Linn street.

Mrs. Abram S. Valentine returned home Monday night from Baltimore where for the past several weeks she has been visiting at the home of her niece, Mrs. S. B. Bond.

Miss Julia Powers, who has been visiting her mother, Mrs. Susan Powers, of East Lamb street, for the past month, returned to her home in Philadelphia Monday morning.

Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Lane left at noon for Aaronsburg, Centre county, having been summoned thither on account of the serious illness of the latter's father, Noah Litzell.—Tyrone Herald.

Mr. John S. Furst, of Williamsport, formerly treasurer of the Central Pennsylvania Telephone and Supply Co., has resigned his position as toll line superintendent of the Pennsylvania Telephone Co., with which the Central Pennsylvania Co. was recently consolidated.

Honorable John Hamilton, secretary of the State Department of Agriculture, secretary of the State Board of Agriculture, vice president of the State Live Stock Sanitary Board, treasurer of the Pennsylvania State College and editor-in-chief and part owner of the State College Times was a distinguished Bellefonte visitor Monday.

Miss Grace Alexander, youngest daughter of Dr. John F. Alexander, of Centre Hall, passed through Bellefonte Thursday evening on her way to Sacramento, California, where she will be married, soon after her arrival there, to Mr. George Reed, who is mining engineer at Cheswick, Cal. She and Mr. Reed were both members of the class of 1901 at the Pennsylvania State College and it was while attending that institution that they plighted their troth. Mr. Reed went West and has been so successful that the happy *denouement* of their romance is to take place today. She is an exceptionally attractive and brilliant young lady and Mr. Reed is indeed to be congratulated.

A. G. Morris, of Tyrone, was a Bellefonte visitor Thursday.

G. W. Romberger of Unionville spent Wednesday in town.

Lyman T. Eddy, of Milesburg, was a Pittsburg visitor this week.

C. J. Smith has returned home from a business trip to Lock Haven.

Judge John G. Love is registered at the Continental Hotel Philadelphia.

Prof. H. Hayward of State College, is transacting business in Philadelphia.

John B. Harris, a prominent Walker township farmer was a Bellefonte visitor Wednesday.

E. R. Chambers, Esq., was a Seventh Avenue Hotel guest in Pittsburg Thursday.

William Walburn of Newberry, is spending this week among friends in Centre county.

The Misses Williams have returned from a few days visit with friends and relatives at Mill Hall.

Mr. Boyd A. Musser, the County Commissioners Clerk returned home Friday morning from Philadelphia.

Prof. D. M. Wolf, of Spring Mills, one of Centre county's fore most educators was an Institute visitor Wednesday.

J. W. Kepler, the popular young Democratic politician of Ferguson township was a Tuesday visitor in Bellefonte.

Mrs. John N. Lane and daughter Miss Patty were passengers on the 4.44 train for New York city Wednesday afternoon.

Mr. Eugene Motchman, foreman at the Bellefonte branch of the Standard Scale works is transacting business in Pittsburg.

Mr. and Mrs. F. W. Crider, their daughter, Miss May, left Wednesday for Philadelphia for a week's pleasure and shopping.

Mrs. L. A. Schaeffer left for Williamsport Wednesday to attend the wedding of Miss Josie Kendig of that city which occurred at four o'clock Wednesday afternoon.

Captain Donnesbury, who has been doing so much good work in the Salvation Army labors at this place, was called to Buffalo. Her place will be filled by Lieutenant Stiles, who arrived in Bellefonte Friday morning.

Prof. John D. Meyer, principal of the Bellefonte High school, left Wednesday for South Carolina where he will spend the holiday season recuperating his health which has been shattered by a recent serious spell of sickness.

Mrs. R. M. Brown and Mrs. A. L. English both of Jersey Shore, are in Bellefonte this week, having been called here by the serious illness of the former's daughter, Mrs. Altenderfer, whose condition at this writing is somewhat improved.

Mrs. E. B. Hogue, wife of the West Allegheny street hardware merchant and tinner, who removed here but recently from Bellefonte, is spending a few days in town. Mrs. Hogue is Bellefonte's leading dressmaker and next spring she will open an establishment here.—Jersey Shore correspondent of the Williamsport Sun.

Mrs. R. V. Pugh, and Mrs. Mary Linn, left Tuesday for Harrisburg to join Mrs. R. J. Haldeman and Mrs. A. Wilson Norris of that city on a visit to Charleston, S. C., where they will be the guests of former United States Senator J. D. Cameron at his winter home in that place. The ladies will spend a few days in Washington enroute South.

Miss Ella Levy and her mother Mrs. Sue Fisher, of Milesburg, departed Friday afternoon on the 1:05 train for Winona, Minn., to spend Christmas and the holiday season with Samuel Levy and two little daughters. Miss Anna Shortlidge was to have accompanied them as far as Chicago and visited Mrs. Davidson and Mrs. Nolan until their return in three weeks, but on account of illness was obliged to give up going at this time.

—A base ball game is merely a contest between two nines and an umpire.

—Little scrub towns use the word "metropolitan" more than Chicago does.

—We read of the seven ages of man, but one age is ample for the average woman.

—Philadelphia lumbermen say that the talk of a trust in the hemlock market is not true.

—Burglars at Altoona, Saturday night entered the stores of Delozer & Brac, J. P. Hency and S. C. Burket, carrying away $200 worth of goods.

—Clearfield has a new paper called "Every Month," published by Whitmer Chase & Markle. It is devoted chiefly to miscellaneous matter.

—The chief crosses and self-denials we have to put up with do not come from the contradiction of the bad, but from the unintentional fretting and wearing of the good.

—It is reported in Washington that Andrew Carnegie will give $10,000,000 to President Roosevelt for the purpose of founding an educational institution in that city.

—In reading the discourses of our Lord one of the strongest impressions made is of the uniformity with which Jesus exalts traits of character which the world little esteems.